

**C636** STATE MISSISSIPPI  
**Carter, William** VOL 14 E.D. 112  
 (HEAD OF FAMILY) SHEET 7 LINE 2  
 73 (COLOR) 4 (SEX) 35 (AGE) Winnemore (BIRTHPLACE)  
Marshall (COUNTY) Beat 1 Carter (HOUSE NO.)  
 OTHER MEMBERS OF FAMILY  

NAME	RELATION SHIP	AGE	BIRTHPLACE
<u>Carter, Frances</u>	<u>w</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>La</u>
<u>Jennie</u>	<u>d</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>La</u>
<u>John</u>	<u>S D</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>La</u>
<u>Thomas</u>	<u>S D</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>La</u>

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**C636** STATE Miss.  
**Carter, Willie** VOL 8 E.D. 159  
 (HEAD OF FAMILY) SHEET 22 LINE 45  
H M 34 (AGE) Miss (BIRTHPLACE)  
Jackson (COUNTY) Beat #2 Central (HOUSE NO.)  
 OTHER MEMBERS OF FAMILY  

NAME	RELATION SHIP	AGE	BIRTHPLACE
<u>Carter, Mary C.</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>Miss.</u>
<u>Carlee</u>	<u>d</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Miss.</u>
<u>Anna</u>	<u>d</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>Miss.</u>
<u>Florence</u>	<u>d</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Miss.</u>
<u>Libe</u>	<u>d</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Miss.</u>

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 (INDIVIDUAL) SHEET 12 LINE 17  
B M 5 (AGE) Mississippi (BIRTHPLACE)  
Blinds (COUNTY) Beat H1 (HOUSE NO.)  
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Mrs Jean Strickland  
PO Box 5147  
Moss Point, MS 39563

Dear Mrs. Strickland,

I lucked upon a copy of your book, Who Married Whom in Perry County, MS, at the Cincinnati, OH public library. I found it very exciting as it opened up information I never expected to find.

I was extremely excited to see the information on an individual named Isaac Jefferson Carter on page 21 of your book. I believe this to be my great-great-grandfather. Our family records show him as Isaac E. Carter, father of Levi Daniel Carter. Levi is the only one in your book whose wife is not listed. She was Leah Nora Kersh of Rankin County (b: Nov 12, 1849 / m: unknown).

I tried to correspond with Mrs. Ronnie F. McGinnis, but the MGE box address listed in your book is no longer current. She was the only contributor I could find to the Carter surname.

Could you please send me Mrs. McGinnis' current address. If you only have the city, please send that as I'd be happy to call her to talk and get her address.

One other item -- I noticed you compiled a book on Perry County cemetery records. I am particularly interested in getting information on Sunrise cemetery near Hattiesburg. My father was told our Carter family was buried there. There is a small town Sunrise on the MS state <sup>highway department</sup> Forest County map near Hattiesburg. Is it possible you have that cemetery in your book? If so, is there any way I can get that information? I will be happy to cover expenses.

I'd be pleased to send you any information I have, but it is all subsequent to Levi and his father. I'm hoping Mrs. McGinnis can help me go back farther.

Sincerely,  
Doug Carter



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July 13, 1991

Dear Mr. Carter:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 8, 1991 concerning the Carter Family of Perry County, MS.

I do not have a current address for Ronnie F. McGinnis. However, there are many Carter researchers here and the library has a large vertical file on Carter Family.

I am enclosing copies of the research of Herbert Williams of Petal, MS on your line. I do not know for sure if Mr. Williams is still living or not. I feel sure the enclosed information will take you back several generations. Also enclosed is an updated copy of all Carters in Wayne, Jones, Greene and Perry Counties Mississippi. The Who Married Whom Book on Perry County has been corrected and updated.

Please let me know if this helps and if we can be of further help.

Sincerely,

*Jean Strickland*

Jean Strickland  
Genealogy and Local History  
Department

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Logtown, Mrs.  
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## Store uesday

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zens eligible to vote.

All 13 of the city's precincts  
voted in favor of the measure,  
which is expected to add ab-  
out \$90,000 in annual city  
revenue.

Only at the Market Street  
box was the voting close.  
Twenty nine voted in favor,  
24 in opposition.

Legal requirements are ex-  
pected to be completed in or-  
der for the new 1% tax on re-  
tail sales to go into effect Nov.  
1.

The vote by precinct, with  
the "fors" listed first, was:  
Lake School, 98-19; Fire Sta-  
tion, 54-13; N. Pascagoula, 58-  
17; Court House, 108-35; Cen-  
tral, 58-36; Market Street, 29-  
24.

Eastlawn, 60-42; Pinecrest,  
48-15; S. Pascagoula, 129-61;  
American Legion, 121-35; 11th  
Street No. 1, 56-43; 11th  
Street No. 2, 43-19; Country  
Club, 35-21.

goula, was in charge of ar-  
rangements.  
Pallbearers were Karl Wie-  
senburg, W. J. Higginbotham,  
Milton Hill, James Hill, James  
Hinman and R. D. Chapman,  
Jr.

## House approves \$840,000 bill for Pas channel

The public works appro-  
priations bill including \$840,-  
000 for Pascagoula channel  
work passed the US House  
Wednesday.

This is the project for deep-  
ening the river channel to 33  
feet, 38 over the bar with two  
feet override, to aid Ingalls in  
delivering government con-  
tracts.

Notice of the House action  
was made by Cong. W. M. Col-  
mer and Sen. John Stennis.

## Queen of the Forest contestants on stage in Hurley Saturday nite

Twenty-two beauties will  
compete Saturday night in a  
county-wide Queen of the  
Forest contest at Hurley  
School on old Highway 63.

Winner will represent Jack-  
son County in the district con-  
test at Hattiesburg Sept. 29.

Contestants are:

Sandra Hudson, Peggy  
Sue Williams, Connie Barn-  
es and Dorothy Ann Ma-  
han, all of Pascagoula.  
Kay Richard, Jo Ann Cox,

Edith Mallette, Kathleen Rob-  
erts, Helen Entrekin, Jennie  
Murphy, Judy Gamblin and  
Doris Cunningham, Ocean  
Springs.

Barbara Elkins, Jean Fair-  
ley, Diane Nelson, and Cheryl  
Kay Lynd, Escatawpa; Chris-  
tine Hudson, Moss Point; Peg-  
gy Peterson, Gautier; Nell  
Pittman, Wade; Cheryl Davis,  
Tanner-Williams, and Linda  
McDonald, Hurley.

ing to represent union  
were denounced today by  
local union leaders.

Claude E. Ramsay, Jac-  
Creek, president of the  
Mississippi Labor Council, A  
CIO, issued a statement  
behalf of the statewide c  
cil.

Keith M. Holloway, Pa-  
goula, president of Jac-  
County Central Labor U  
issued a companion state-  
on behalf of county union

The labor leaders sta-  
that there are no newsp-  
ers or publications that h  
the authorization of  
AFL-CIO a filiate in Mis-  
sippi.

They warned business  
against telephone solic  
who state they are repre-  
ing union or labor newspa

These solicitors, they  
threaten reluctant adv-  
ers with "labor trouble"  
they refuse to buy ads.

None of them are gen-  
said Ramsay and Hollowa

## Youth charged with auto the

A 13-year-old Pasca-  
boy has been charged  
auto theft. He has been  
cused of stealing a car  
a local rep r shop and  
ing to Biloxi where he w  
ed it, according to police

Det. J. B. Gibson said  
youth has been turned  
to juvenile authorities ar  
scheduled for a hearing  
month before County J  
L. A. Watts.



CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN OF WILLIAM GOFF AND SABRA MATHIS

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3. 4. & 5. David, Susannah, and Jincy, all died in childhood.

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III. Elizabeth Goff, b.1784 in N.C., d. in Miss. 1877, m. Henry Fletcher, b.1777 in S.C. d. in Miss. 1857, moved to Miss. ca 1816. (Elizabeth a second wife)

1. Thomas L., b.1815, m. Eleanor Mixon, six children, live around Mobile.

2. Sabra Ann, b.1814, m. John Havens, (1812-1900), eleven children.

3. Ziba M., b.1817 m. Martha Rogers, four children.

4. Mary, b.1821, m. James Ware, Sr., (3rd. wife) Two children.

5. William H., b.1819, d.1899, m. Sarah Havens (1821-1880) seven children.

6. Susan, b.1822, d.1866, m. James Ware, Jr. four children.

IV. Mary Goff, b.1788 in N.C., m. William Carter in Bulloch Co., Ga., in 1810, moved to Mississippi in 1811.

1. Sabra, b.1811, m. --- living in Jasper Co., Miss., in 1846. 2. Cassandra.

3. Nancy, m. --- Davis in 1857. 4. John, m. Mary Carter, his first cousin.

5. William Barbour, b.1816, d.1887, m. Mrs. Susan Davis in 1864, seven children.

6. Byrd; 4. Mary, m. "Big" John Carter; 5. Martha, m. Cleto Broom, five children.

7. Simon Byrd, b.1823. 9. Elizabeth, m. --- McKey in 1846. 10. James Griffin.

V. Ann Goff b. 1791 in N.C., m. (2nd w.) Mathew Carter, Jr., b.1781, S.C. eight children

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## SOURCES OF INFORMATION:

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Bible records of William Helveston Fletcher.

Affidavits by J.J. Fletcher and Henry Fletcher concernin personal recollections

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Obituaries in New Orleans Christian Advocate.

Pension Application of William Goff

D.A.R. application papers of descendants of Edmund Mathis, Father of Sabra Mathis

U.S. Census Reports of Jackson Co., Miss., 1820, 1840, 1850, and 1860.

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*Bro of JBC info sent to me*



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Editor's note:

Since Cyril Cain compiled these family records, additional information has been found and corrections have been made. The corrections and additions will be found in the *Jackson County Genealogical Society Journal, Volume 14, No. 4*, to be published next.

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(Elizabeth was the 2nd wife of Henry.)

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1. Thomas L. Fletcher, b. 1815, m. Eleanor Mixon, six children, live around Mobile.
2. Sabra Ann Fletcher, b. 1814, m. John Havens, (1812-1900), eleven children.
3. Ziba M. Fletcher, b. 1817, m. Martha Rogers, four children.
4. Mary Fletcher, b. 1821, m. James Ware, Sr.  
His 3rd wife. Two children.
5. William H. Fletcher, b. 1819, d. 1899,  
m. Sarah Havens (1821-1860). Seven children.
6. Susan Fletcher, b. 1822, d. 1866, m. James Ware, Jr., four children.

IV. Mary Goff, b. 1788 in N.C., m. William Carter in Bulloch Co., Ga., in 1810,  
moved to Mississippi in 1811.

1. Sabra Carter, b. 1811, m. -----, living in Jasper Co., Miss., in 1846.
2. Cassandra Carter
3. Nancy Carter, m. ----- Davis in 1857.
4. John Carter, m. Mary Carter, his first cousin.
5. William Barbour Carter, b. 1816, d. 1887, m. Mrs. Susan Davis in 1854, seven children.
6. Susan Carter, b. 1817, d. 1887, m. (2nd wife of) Wesley G. Evans, five children.
7. Mary Ann Carter
8. Simon Byrd Carter, b. 1823.
9. Elizabeth Carter, m. ---- McKey, in 1846.
10. James Griffin Carter

V. Ann Goff, b. 1791 in N.C., m. (2nd wife of) Matthew Carter, Jr., b. 1781, S.C.,  
eight children.

1. Matthew Carter
2. William Carter, b. 1822, m. (1st) Jane Goff, first cousin, one child;  
m. (2nd) ---- Beardsley, one child; m. (3rd) Ann Davis, six children.
3. Thomas Carter, b. 1825, m. ---- Byrd.
4. Mary Carter, m. "Big" John Carter.
5. Martha Carter, m. Cicero Broom, five children.
6. Susan Carter, m. Captain Jim Byrd, three children, died in 1856.
7. Wiley Griffin Carter, b. 1832, m. (1st), Alinda Roberts, one child;  
m. (2nd) Mrs. Susan Lyons Roberts, five (or more) children.
8. John Carter, b. 1834, m. Ellen Roberts, six or more children.

Hand written note: "My grandparents paternal."

VI. Edmund Goff, Jr., b. 1794, N.C., d. 1873 in Ala, (But lived most of his life in  
Mississippi.) m. Lucretia Wells in 1824.

1. William Goff, b. 1828.
2. Sabra Goff, b. 1830.



3. Theresa Goff, b. 1832, m. Rev. J. W. McCann.

VII. Susan Goff, b. 1801 in N.C., came to Miss. ca. 1818, d. 1892, m. Samuel Davis. Carter 3-13

1. Mary Davis, b. 1823, d. 1913, m. Powell Avera, several children.
2. Martha Davis, m. Dallas Cunningham, twelve children. (Incorrect)
3. Nancy Davis, b. 1827.
4. William Davis, b. 1829.
5. Cassandra Davis, b. 1837.
6. Alice Davis, b. 1840.
7. Samuel Davis, b. 1844.
- 8-13, six other children, names not known.

VIII. Lewis Goff, name given as a child of William Goff by his grandfather, John Goff in a deed of gift in 1791 in Duplin Co., N.C. The 1820 U.S. Census lists him as living in Jackson Co. with a wife and five children.

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SOURCES OF INFORMATION:

- \*Folks Huxford's Collection of Carter Letters.
- \*Bible records of William Helveston Fletcher.
- \*Affidavits by J. J. Fletcher and Henry Fletcher concerning personal recollections of Elizabeth Goff Fletcher, Susan Goff Davis, Ann Goff Carter, and Edmund Goff, Jr.
- \*Obituaries in *New Orleans Christian Advocate*.
- \*Pension Application of William Goff.
- \*D.A.R. application papers of descendants of Edmund Mathis, father of Sabra Mathis.
- \*U.S. Census Reports of Jackson Co., Miss., 1820, 1840, 1850, and 1860.

Compiled by:

Cyril E. Cain, State College, Miss., pre publication of his *Four Centuries on the Pascagoula, Volume II*.

Editor's note:

Since Cyril Cain compiled these family records, additional information has been found and corrections have been made. The corrections and additions will be found in the *Jackson County Genealogical Society Journal, Volume 14, No. 4*, to be published next.

Carter family records from England to the U.S.A.

The following is from the Book Va Genealogist and their pedigrees of Carters.

William Carter B @ 1470's in Kempson in Bedford England D in England.  
married @ 1500 in England

Elizabeth Cranfield B @ 1470's in England D in England *Carter 3-14*  
(dau of William Cranfield and Elizabeth of Bedford England).

son William Carter Jr B @ 1520 Bedford England D in England  
married @ 1540's in England

Mary Ansell @ 1520's England D in England  
(dau of Thomas Ansell of Bedford England)

son Thomas Carter B @ 1550's Bedford England D in England after 1634.  
married @ 157-'s Bedford England

Jane Bellay @ 1550's Bedford England D in England  
(dau of John Bellay Dr of Civil Law and Chancellor of the Diocese  
of Lincoln England).

son William Carter B @ 1580's Bedford England D in England.

married @ 1600's in Bedford England

Ann Emmery @ 1580's Bedford England D in England.

(dau of Thomas Emmery of Aldridge England)

son Thomas Carter was Baptisted 29th Nov 1607 Bedford England.

Thomas Carter sailed to the U.S.A. and was a Capt of the Militia, member of  
the House of Burgesss, Co of Justice Vestryman in Lancaster Co Va. He named  
his seat Barford or Bedford after the parish in which he lived in the  
Village of Kempston England. The record in the Va Genealogists book stated  
he married Catherine Dale the dau of Edward Dale clerk of Ct. Edward Dale  
married Diana Skipwith dau of Sir Henry Skipwith. They had no dates.

In the Mormon records in Salt Lake Utah Thomas Carter married 4 May 1670  
Lancaster Co Va to Katherine Dale. I think there must be another Thomas  
Carter. The one born in 1607 must have had a son Thomas that married in 1670.  
The following is a list of the records from the Mormon records in Salt Lake.

Thomas Carter B D 1733 Lancaster Co Va.

married 4 May 1670 Lancaster Co Va

Katherine Dale 1652 Lancaster Co Va D

(dau of Edward Dale and Diana Skipwith) (Edward Dale D in 1674) Lancaster Co V.

son Thomas Carter B 4 June 1672 Lancaster Co Va D 1733 Lancaster Co Va

married 22 Aug 1695 Lancaster Co Va

Arabella Williamson B 1676 Spotsylvania Co Va D

son Isaac Carter B 1699 Spotsylvania Co Va D

married

?

Matthew Carter B @ 1730 D

married

Patience ?

N.C.

Matthew Carter was in Mechlenburg Co Va in 1782 then to Johnston Co by 1784,  
Stayed in Johnston Co N.C. until after 1790. Then

son Isaac B 29 Oct 1756 D 3 May 1840 Perry Co Miss Bur Perry Co Ms  
married

Christina ? B D 27 May 1840 Bur Perry Co Ms

Isaac Carter showed up in Miss 1810 Wayne Co then what is now Perry Co.

Isaac was in the Rev War serving from the North Carolina Militia.

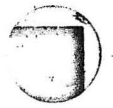
Isaac son Abner B 1802 Ms D 3 July 1845 Bur

married 29 Sept 1831 Perry Co Ms

Isabella McLeod B 14 Jan 1813 1876 Bur

(dau of John & Mary (Bethune) McLeod.





SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2006

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## FACES OF THE COAST



William Colgin/The Mississippi Press

### Otis Carter

Otis Carter is the band and choir director for Moss Point High School as well as the band director for Ed Mayo Jr. High. Otis grew up around music and his love for it

started at an early age. He learned to play in the 6th grade. Carter says he enjoys playing because "It brings joy to others and that brings joy to me." Otis' mother, who

was a teacher and principal, played a big role in his desire to teach. Carter said he sees teaching as a way of perpetuating a love and admiration of music.

## FACES OF THE COAST



Sara Frye/The Mississippi Press

### Yolanda Carter

**H**aving an outgoing and friendly personality helps Yolanda Carter, 34, of Pascagoula, in her work as an office manager at Seaside Physical Therapy,

she said. Several different types of personalities cross her window, from patients to co-workers, and Carter said she enjoys the daily interactions. The married moth-

er of a 6-year-old girl values spending time with her family. She takes her daughter out to roller-skate and on shopping trips, and she goes fishing with her husband.



Carter 3-17

Deborah WILKINSON  
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Theodore, Ala 36582

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TO: FRANK DOC CARTER (RXWH42A)  
FROM: BARBARA BEAN (PHVN11B)  
SUBJECT: CARTER.RBT/BIBLE REC

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Herewith is the Carter record:

Robert Willis Carter bAug 1793 d9Nv 1838 m7Mch 1820 to Mary  
W.L. Franklin b1Jly 1798 d7Sep 1860

Chas. W.L. Carter b27Dc 1820 d1897 in Colbert Co. AL m19Dc  
1855 to Mary D. Rovston  
Mary Roberts R. Carter b8 Oc 1822 d6 Oc 1877  
Susannah I. Carter b21Sep 1823  
Lucy Champe Carter b20Ap 1827 d26June 1827  
Geo. McGuire Carter b29June 1830 d25Fb 1872  
Eliza C. E. (C.E.) Carter b29Mch 1831 d22Mch 1896 mOct  
1852 to Wm M. Turner b4June 1826 d4Ap 1881  
Rob't Willis Carter b3Fb 1833 d6Sep 1842  
John H.B.C. Carter b27Mch 1835 m13 Oc 1858 to Lucy A. Weaver  
Mary Mgt Carter b11Aug 1838 d16Aug 1838

Henry Richard Carter son of Chas. & Demaris Carter b14Nv  
1858  
Eliza Turner Craig d/o S.P. & M.E. Craig, b29Aug 1873 d18  
Oc 1875  
Jesse Allen b24Dc 1815  
Susan Jane F. Carter b21Sep 1824, d30Ap 1848 m9Jan 1844 to  
Jesse Allen  
Jas. Robt Allen b12Nv 1847  
Lena M. Craig b21Aug 1876

Mary Ellen Turner d/o Wm & Eliza Turner b31Jly 1853 d14Nv  
1878 m17Jan 1871 to S.P. Craig d6Fb 1878  
Wm Henry Turner b17 Oc 1855 d4Mch 1909 in Jones Co. TX m18  
Dc 1878 to Willie M. Gibbs  
Chas. Fletcher (E.) Turner b17Ap 1857 m19Dc 1878 to Alice  
Williams  
Edw Greenfield Turner b11Ap 1859  
Annah (Anna) Eliza Turner b28Mch 1863 m14Jan 1884 to R.M.  
Weaver  
John Lewis Turner b6Jan 1866 d3Jan 1884  
Robt Saml Turner b3May 1868 m27Dc 1893 to Mgt B. Rutland  
d/o Wells Rutland d21Mch 1934  
Oliver Perry Turner b 3 Oc 1870 d16Jan 1913  
Rob't W. Carter (1st) son of John & Lucy Carter b27June  
1859  
Anna Lizzie Carter b8Fb 1862, d26Mch 1863  
Mary L. Carter b16June 1864 d11 Oc 1864  
Eliza F. Carter b8Ao 1866

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Lucie F. Carter b3June 1839 (1869?)

Lucy A. Carter 22Aug 1867 (listed with deaths)  
(Bible owned by Mrs. Alice Williams Turner, widow of Chas.  
Fletcher Turner of Cherokee, Colbert Co. AL copies by Mrs.  
E.S. Gregory 29June 1933 of Tuscumbia AL. Inside cover of  
Bible is: "Presented to Mary W.L. Carter by her husband,  
Robt W. Carter, M. D. 1824")

This records comes from a book "Old Bible Records" compiled  
by Memory Aldridge Lester.



## Else Martin

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**From:** Pat L.-- TTJP [patexas\_98@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 26, 2001 1:14 AM  
**To:** Else Martin  
**Subject:** Re: Old Carter Cem

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Hello Else,

Yes I'd like to have copies the photos that you have of the site. I am related to the Goff's actually and they married in the Carter family. Any information that you could pass along would be great.

Specifically, if you could give me directions I'd appreciate it. I still want to go there even if I can get in. In order to make it easier let me tell you where I can get to by myself. I can get to the intersection of Old Americus and Salem Campground Rd. or I can also get to Hwy 63 at the George/Jackson County line. I also know where the Steede Cemetery is in Americus which shouldn't be too far from the site we are talking about.

I know there is a Carter cemetery right on the county line. On a road called section line road. It's near Kathy's Dr.

I was given these few names and I was told it was in near Americus, MS.

CARTER Seburn	May 14, 1814--Jun 28, 1886
CARTER Mary Ann (Goff)	Jun 05, 1821--Oct 25, 1847
CARTER Jane Walker	Apr 26, 1830--Apr 27, 1897
CARTER Wiley H.	Jan 05, 1860--Oct 03, 1882
GOFF John M.	Jul 11, 1825--Oct 01, 1891
GOFF Rebecca	Nov 10, 1823--Jan 17, 1887
GOFF Jane Eloise	Mar 19, 1877--Mar 29, 1883

Does this seem like we are talking about the same place? Is this cemetery accessible by road or is it pretty deep in the woods?

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Also, I didn't know if you'd be interested in this or not but here is some information about Nolline Carter daughter of Nolle Carter.

I spoke to Mr. Clement the husband of Nolline Carter, daughter of Nolle Carter and he told me that she past away last year. She was 93 years old. He told me that "She smoked her whole life and lung cancer finally got her." Mr. Clement is living in a Care Facility in Pensacola, FL. He said that Mrs. Nolline

and her father were buried in Pineview? United Methodist Cemetery in Pensacola, Fl.

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One more thing. Do you have any idea where Buckly Post Office was in the 1860s?

Thanks in advance,

Pat

Researching: Long, Goff, Roberts, Moore, Carter, Lyons, Collins, Phelps, Tanner, Williams, Westfall and Clark.

Also researching lost cemeteries and communities.

--- Else Martin <emartin@jgrl.lib.ms.us> wrote:

> Dear Pat,

>  
> I should have answered your query before now. Hope  
> you get the reply  
> before you come to Miss. Jim Taylor gave me your  
> request to answer.

>  
> We have been working on the records for the old  
> abandoned cemetery in order  
> to have it declared an historical site. I know  
> exactly where it is as I  
> have been there many times in 1988 when I first took  
> photos of what remains.  
> It is owned by Internationl Paper and was destroyed  
> (except for the markers  
> of William Carter and Mary Goff Carter) by  
> International Paper Co after they  
> had cut the timber and was bulldozing in order to  
> replant. This happened  
> about 1985.

>  
> The property has a gate and is under lock and key,  
> rented by a Hunting  
> Club. I may be  
> able to find someone to let you in to take photos.  
> We have another set of  
> photos taken earlier this year. You are welcome to  
> copy our photos and the  
> record we have of who is buried there.

>  
> The man operating the bulldozer stopped his work  
> when he saw the two  
> tombstones that remained. He supposedly was very

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- > upset as he had been told
- > that there was no problem in leveling the land.
- >
- > IP or someone put a small fence around the two
- > remaining markers. I will
- > scan the photos
- > and send you copies if you would like.
- >
- > You are right about the location. It is on the old
- > Matthew Carter
- > homestead, section 18. Half of the section is in
- > George Co and half in
- > Jackson Co. The area is north of Salem Camp Ground
- > about two miles. The
- > high area there is known as "Carter Island"
- >
- > Who in your family is buried there? Can I help you
- > with the tons of Carter
- > info we have available here at the library. Do you
- > want a copy of our
- > record of graves? Very few are identified. We have
- > searched for any and
- > all records we can find on those in that cemetery.
- > There were believed to
- > be about 30 graves in the cemetery when it was last
- > used - many years ago.
- >
- > Else Martin, Genealogy & Local History, Pascagoula
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Husband: William M. Bill Tone Carter

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Born: October 26, 1821

in: Jackson Co, Miss

in: Jackson Co, Miss

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Died: January 28, 1895

in: Jackson Co, Miss

Father: Matthew Carter, Jr.

Mother: Ann Nancy Goff

Other Spouses: Elizabeth Beardslee, Jane Goff

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Wife: Sarah Ann Davis

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Born: 1850

in: Jackson Co, Miss

Died: 1923

in: Jackson Co, Miss

Other Spouses: Thompson

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CHILDREN

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1  
M

Name: Prentiss B. Carter

Born: February 14, 1867

Died: June 06, 1916

Spouse: Elizabeth O'Neal

2  
F

Name: Melissa Carter

Spouse: Ford O'Neal

3  
F

Name: Ida Carter

Spouses: Williford Horton, J. C. Tucker

4  
F

Name: Mary M. Carter

Born: 1875

Died: 1942

Spouse: William Ross David

5  
F

Name: Cammie B. Carter

Born: September 22, 1879

Died: October 14, 1895

6  
F

Name: Jane Edwina Jincy Carter

7  
M

Name: Marvin Carter

Born: July 29, 1884

Died: August 27, 1905

Spouse: Minnie Bullock

Prepared By:

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**SCHOOL DAYS** — A group of school children who lived in the Brewton area about the turn of the century are pictured in front of their log school in this photo in

possession of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carter. The arrow identifies Melissa Jane Holden Carter, whose family lived in the area.

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Canton, Mississippi  
December 12, 1949

My dear John Lovett:-

First and foremost Jim Campbell is going to recognize Brother George Thompson's 60th anniversary next Sunday. We want each church that Brother Thompson served to send Jim five dollars in the enclosed envelope. He was at Yazoo City longer than any other place and deservedly popular there.

As you know all of our plans were made to observe Brother Gray's Golden Jubilee next Friday but his death cancelled all our plans. I suggested to Clyde to give his widow whatever money had come in. Galloway Memorial is going to give recognition to Dr. Crisler next Sunday and Pearl River Avenue (I hope) to Brother Mellard. The latter is hard to plan for on account of his attitude and disposition. Maybe I'll be that way when I retire.

We are delighted with the progress made in our plan, really my plan, for the Advance specials. I made up a list - I will send you one - asking individuals to take specials and it worked fine. Since there was some question in the minds of the brethren about my plan I am glad that it turned out well. What the rest of the district is going to do I do not know.

Your wife expressed some interest in the census list which I sent to Inman and which he was supposed to send (and did not) to you. You will probably not be interested much in it but I hope she will. The list is free but my remarks and explanations are easily worth ten dollars.

There are a number of interesting comments which I did not have space to include. For instance that name Asinath. It is common among the Fords at Sandy Hook and since they came from the same place as the Fletchers it is possible that Grandsir Fletcher's first wife was a Ford. When Mamma was born she was named Ascenith Bernettie but when she was six months old her mother died and her name was changed to Sarah Bernettie.

I suppose you are familiar with the story of Uncle Baptiste. He was born in France and educated for the priesthood in the Catholic church. Not desiring to follow this vocation he ran away and came on a boat to the coast and moved out into the back country where they could not easily find him. Aunt Ann was living with her father, John Havens, Sr, (Grandpapa Havens) at the old Fairley mill place. She had one child, Sarah (Aunt Sarah Rice), one year old and was 27 herself. She married this Frenchman, who lived with her about ten years, until after three children were born, the youngest being eight years younger than the second (You remember Aunt Susan Clark, a very fat lady, wife of Tom Clark, who lived at the Joe Graham place). Evidently tiring of domestic life Uncle Baptiste went down to Ocean Springs a few years before the Civil War and did not return. The theory was that he took a boat to France.

We plan to spend Christmas on the wing. Amy and Loyce will go down to Washington but I will stay here until after the morning service on Christmas Day, then go down for a day or two. We play Yazoo City basket-ball here on January 4 and over there on February 10. I am going to ask the coach to let Loyce play over there and I want you to come out and see my daughter play. She is not on the first string.

Buford.



Carter 3-25

FROM: MATTHEW CARTER. No postmark-missing

ADDRESSED: MR. CHIEFEN HIZELL, State of Ga. Telfair County

Mississippi State, Jackson County,  
26th October, 1822

Dear Brother and Sister:

I have once more taken my pen in hand to write you a few lines to inform you that we are all in good health at present except one of the small children who has had the Ague and fiver about three weeks but is much on the mend at this time.

The family connection is generally well. We have great reason to be thankful to Almighty God that while sickness has been raging through our land and country we have been favoured in a wonderful manner. This has been the sickliest season that I have ever experienced in this country but very few have died.

I do not know what to write, not knowing whether you have received my last letter or not. The last letter I received from you was mailed at Clinton which caused me to think your mail was discontinued and you had not received my answer. If it is so I want you to write to me where to direct my next letter. I have nothing more to write to you at present.

I remain as heretofore,

Your Affectionate Brother

(signed) Matthew Carter.

Carter 3-26

FROM: MRS. CASANDREA CARTER. (No postmark)

ADDRESSED: MRS. JANE EVERETT, State of Georgia, Bullock County.

November the 25th, 1811

Dear Children:

These few lines comes in love to you to let you know that we are all well at present, thanks be to God for His mercy, hoping that may find you in the same state of health as we are at present. The old man has a pain in his arm and I am afraid will lose the use of it.

We all held out our journey better than we expected. We have not had one day's sickness since I left you all, thanks be to God for it. Matthew has got a fine son and calls his name Joseph, and William has got a dotor (daughter) and calls her name Sabra.

I have nothing remarkable to relate to you. We have bought a little improvement in the piney woods. The range is very good for cattle and hogs. We sold a horse and bought 33 (30)? head of hogs. We settled the sixth of September. We have got a few cows. We have never suffered. As for being satisfied I can't relate. The men seems to be satisfied; as for the two girls they are often in tears for you all and wishes to be with you. Mary and her family is well at present. My heart is so full I can't say no more, but remain Your loving Aunt and Mother tel Death. We do all desire to be remembered to you all.

Pray don't fall wrighting all opportunities. The last words that ever you git from my mouth I am afear'd.

(Signed) Casandra Carter.

Don't fail sending these lines to Susan when you have read them.

March 4, 1994

Carter 3-27

Ms. Jean Strickland  
Genealogy & Local History Department  
Jackson-George Regional Library System  
3214 Pascagoula Street  
Pascagoula, Mississippi 39567

Dear Ms. Strickland:

Re: Carter and Barbour families

Thank you for your letter giving the results of your research on Col. James A. Campbell and the 27th Regiment. I am happy to know how to reach you--Professor Charles L. Sullivan said you may be able to answer my questions about the Carter and Barbour families.

My husband is a descendant of Matthew Carter and Cassandra Barbour and would like to know more about her antecedents, to wit,

- where her father, William Barbour, lived and died
- information about his ancestors
- information about his Revolutionary War service
- who her mother was, and information about her ancestors
- whether Cassandra had siblings

Do you know where I may obtain copies of the thirty-six or more letters written by Matthew Carter to relatives in Georgia? These letters are referred to as "in Judge Huxfords' collection"; is that collection housed in the Folks Huxfords Library in Homerville, Georgia? If so, do you know the library's address?

I have corresponded with Melba Goff Allen who has copies of the Carter letters. She said she would send them to me on the condition that I send her a rare book, which I am unable to do since I have only one copy. I assume I can obtain the letters without her help.

A Byrd Family History, by Robert Earl Byrd, says of James Sidney Byrd: "His first wife, Susan Carter, was buried at Long Beach, Miss. Her body was later moved and it is thought by descendants that it was moved to the Red Hill Baptist Cemetery [20 miles from Wiggins, Mississippi] and interred next to James Sidney Byrd."

Do you know where Susan Carter is buried?

I know I am asking you for a lot of information--I hope my questions are not burdensome to you. I am happy to pay whatever the library may charge for research and copies.

Thank you for your help.

Sincerely,

Melisande Kopp Rogers  
Melisande Kopp Rogers  
73 West 11th Street  
New York, New York 10011

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March 10, 1994

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Melisande Kopp Rogers  
73 West 11th Street  
New York, NY 10011

Dear Melisande:

Regarding your letter of March 4, 1994, I have no information on the Barbour families other than that the father of Cassandra Barbour Cartr was William Barbour who was a Revolutionary Soldier.

I feel sure you can obtain copies of the Carter-Mizell letters from the Huxford Genealogical Library, P. O. Box 595, Homerville, GA 31634.

James Sidney Byrd is buried in Red Hill Cemetery in southern Perry County, near the Stone Caounty line. I copied this cemetery when I compiled the Cemeteries of Perry County, MS. A copy is enclosed. I wonder if the two unmarked graves next to him are those of his first and second wives. I am sure the confusion arose because there are three Red Hill Cemeteries. 1 in southern Perry County and two in norther Jackson County.

I hope I have answered all your questions. Let me know if you are unable to obtain the Carter letters from Huxford and I will try to obtain them somewhere for you.

Sincerely,

Jean Strickland  
Genealogy and Local History

encl.

Carter 3-29

FROM: LBS NAOMI GOFF. Apparently sent by hand.

ADDRESSED: GRIFFIN WELLS, Talbot County, Ga.

March 7, 1913

Dear Sister:

After my kind love and compliments to you I have to inform you that we are all well at present, thanks be to God for it. Hoping these lines will find you in the same.

Sister, we are a long ways apart and it grieves my heart to think of you. I should be glad as brother Griffin is not satisfied if he would come here. I think he would not be sorry for it. If I had my dear sister and her family and a few more I should be satisfied.

We have no preaching with us and I am sorry for it, but I hope you will remember me in your prayer. I should be glad if you would write to me the first chance for I should be glad to hear from you. We have got another son and we call it Willy. I have nothing more to inform you but remain

Your Loving Sister

(signed) Naomi Goff

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Carter 3-30

FROM WILLIAM BARBOUR CARTER. Postmarked: Jackson C.H. Miss. June 10. 34

ADDRESSED: MR. MATTHEW MITCHELL, Lowndes Co. Piscola P. O. Ga.

Jackson County, Miss. June 1st. 1856

Dear Cousin:

I have had a disposition to write to you for many years but have neglected doing so until at present. My self and family are well at present. Our family is small. We have two little girls, age 18 months and the youngest 2 months probably. Of the death of Father: He died three years ago last October. Mother is living with me; her health is good with one exception; she is troubled very much with the rheumatism in her feet principally; yet she can get about the place pretty well.

My brothers and sisters are all married some five years ago. Sister Sabra is living about 125 miles from me; Susannah about 65; Elizabeth about 30; Sister Mary 5 miles; Casandra one mile. John is living in 1/2 mile. I have heard from those of them living at a distance not long since. The family are all well with one exception; John had had a very severe attack of the typhoid fever. He was two months not able to get out of the yard but he is improving; he can ride about the place pretty well.

The family connection are all well I believe. Uncle Matthew Carter's youngest daughter Susan died in February last and left a husband and three little children. Uncle Edmund Goff died about four years ago after lingering some 3 or 4 months. It is hard to tell what his complaint was. Aunt Jane died last night about 9 o'clock; she has been complaining for several years, and about five months ago she began to decline very so that she has not been able to get in & out for eight weeks. Her complaint, dyspersia I think. The word came to me that she was dead since I commenced writing. We will go the burying this evening. We have had a good many deaths in our county within six months past principally old people.

I saw a letter from you to Uncle Matthew Carter. You desired to know something about the money that was coming to you. I am not prepared to give you the information you could wish. I have in my possession some 65 dollars of the estate; you could have had it 30 years ago as well as now. I expect you could get the balance if you would come after it.

Dear Cousin, I have often (thought) of my relations in Georgia, with a desire to see all but if it is not our privilege to see each other in the flesh may we meet in that land where troubles are not known no more; but remain,

Sincere Cousin,

William B. Carter

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1002 Bay Oaks Road  
Houston, Texas 77008  
Nov. 14, 1978

Carter 3-31

Dear Jean,

Thanks for the information on William and Mary Carter. I have also pondered this Cotton side of the family. There is a book by Mrs. Peggy Gregory in my genealogy group called "Cotton Picking". She covers many of the Cottons in the Carolinas and La. and Tx. She doesn't have the same information. I'll try to get one of her books if I can and study it.

Mr. Harold R. Ainsworth, Attorney At Law, 2307 American Bank Building, New Orleans, La. 70130 gave his line as :

William Carter m. Mollie Strickland  
Elizabeth Carter m. Green Fenn  
Mary Fenn m. Jonathan Ainsworth  
Richard Ainsworth m. Emily Briggs  
Robert Ainsworth m. Catherine Wursal  
Harold R. Ainsworth

I think you gave me this man's address. I wrote him and he wrote twice. He wrote twice and promised more information, but he never wrote any more. He said that he had complete information on the Strickland line back to Jonestown in 1620. He may have some material that we haven't found. Perhaps he will answer your letter.

In "Amite Co. Miss!" Vol. 3 By Casey and Otkins p. 587-590 "Caroline Harritt Strickland b 1846 d 6 May 1932 Tangipahoa, La. daughter of Cade Drew Strickland, Jr. & L. Caroline Cotton m 27 Apr. 1865 Grant Rice Taylor b 1845 d 15 Oct. 1910 Tangipahoa, La. This is the line of Barbara Strickland's husband.

Cade Drew Strickland Jr.  
Cade Drew Strickland Sr.  
Henry Strickland b 1766 d Feb. 1817 Madison Co. Ga.  
Solomon Strickland b 1735 md 19 Sept. 1764 d 1815

Mrs. John R. Fuller, 1109 Third Avenue, Opelika, Ala., 36901 wrote me that she belongs to Daughters of American Colonist National # 240759, Colonial Dames # XVII, Century # 7011, and DAR # 350538 through the Stricklands. She gives Polly Carter.

Mrs. Robbie Watkins sent me a page from a book P 6 "The wife of Green Fenn, Elizabeth Carter, was the daughter of William Carter, who came to Mississippi in 1806, and Mollie Cotton. To this Marriage, besides Elizabeth, there were: Redmond, who married Patience Roberts;; Una, who married Amaziah Vardaman; William, who married Louisa Simmons; Mary, who married Noah Strickland." I wrote back and asked for the name of the book; but she never answered, Redmond's wife was Patience Pace and later Nancy Kemp. If that is wrong, then the Cotton could be wrong. Mrs. Robbie Watkins registered the her line through Elizabeth Carter to Mary Carter then Solomon Strickland. She didn't know who added the Cotton.

Mrs. Watkins and Mr. Ainsworth are both through Elizabeth Carter. Mrs. Watkins said that her cousin did the research; but she never gave me the address. That leaves Mr. Ainsworth as an important source. We need his help.

Good luck,

Lily Carter Thurman





Carter 3-33

# ARMS PERTAINING TO Captain Thomas Carter of Virginia AND RELATED LINES

Volume IV, Number 2 of *The Colonial Genealogist* (pages 72-80) carried the article by Mrs. McAlister Elliott, "Carter of Lancaster County, Virginia and of Tennessee."

The coats of arms and accompany notes presented herewith complete that article. The illustrations were drawn by Augustan Society member Donald Armstrong, 5165 Sherbrooke St, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada V5W 3M3, and our thanks and appreciation to Don for these very excellent drawings.

## Notes to the arms:

1. SIR HENRY SKIPWITH, Baronet of Prestwould [Leic.]  
Source, among others: *Burke's Dictionary of Peerage and Baronetage*, III:1273-74; *Virginia Heraldica*, VCR, vol. 5, "Skipwith".  
Arms: Argent, three bars gules, a greyhound in full course [courant] in chief, sable, collared or.  
Crest: A turnstile proper.  
Motto: Sans Dieu je ne puis.

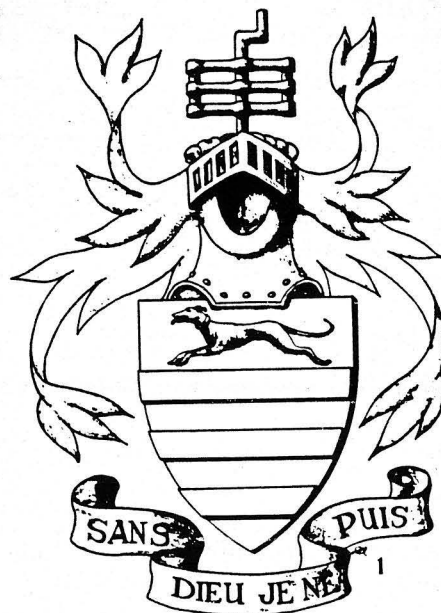
2. THOMAS ANSCCELL, ESQUIRE, of Barford, co. Bedford.  
Source: Arms on monument to Thomas Anscell, Esq., in Barford Parish Church, Barford, co. Bedford, England; also described in *Victoria County History*, "Great Barford, Barford Hundred, Co. Bedford".  
Anscell arms: Gules, a saltire or, between four bezants.  
Thomas Anscell, Esq., Arms: Anscell impaling "two hands joined, supporting a heart" [Whetley--his wife was the Whetley heiress].

3. Whetley [Wheatley]: ROBERT WHETLEY, ESQUIRE, of Johnby, co. Cumberland: Two hands joined supporting a heart.

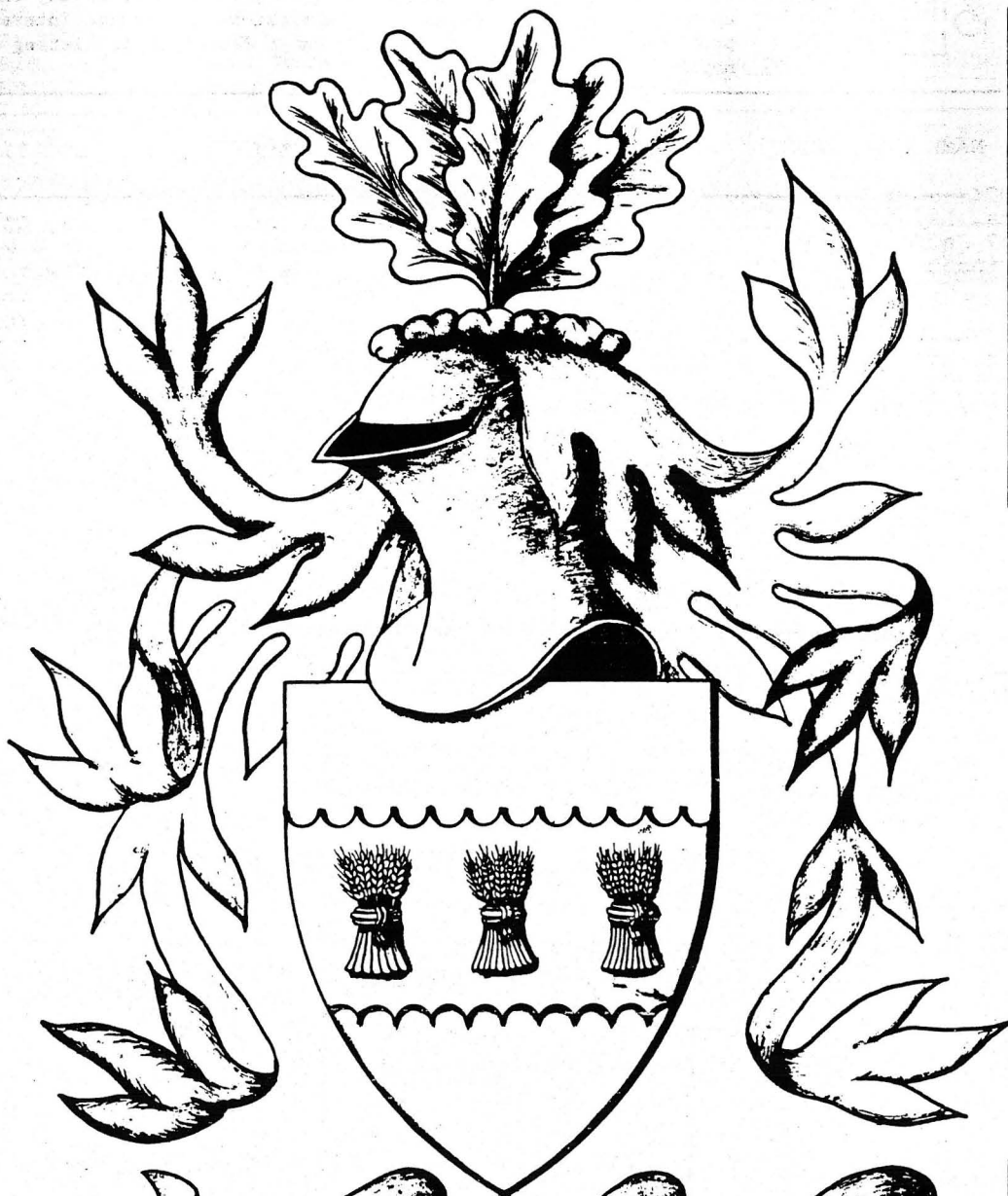
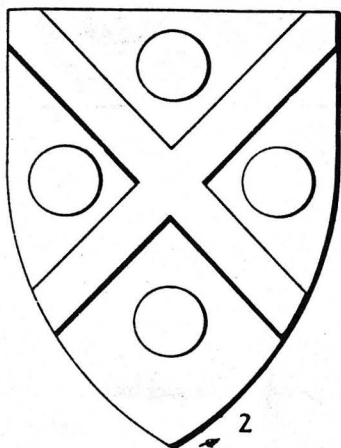
4. KEMPSTON CARTERS: Source: 1613, 1634, 1584 Visitations of Bedfordshire, England. "Arms of the Kempston Carters".  
Arms: Azure, a talbot passant between three round buckles or.  
Crest: Out of a mural crown Or and Azure a demi-talbot proper.

5. MAJOR EDWARD DALE, "ARMIGER".  
Source: *Virginia Heraldica*, vol. 5, "Dale"; seal (crest) in records of Lancaster Co, VA, court.  
Arms: Gules, on a mount vert, a swan argent, membered and ducally gorged or.  
Crest: On a chapeau gules turned up ermine, a heron argent, beaked, legged, and ducally gorged or.

6. LEFTWICH OF CHESHIRE: Source: Omerod. *History of Cheshire*, vol. IV, Northwich Hundred, "Leftwich"; *Virginia Heraldica*, VCR, vol. 5, NOT THE REPRINT.  
Arms: Argent, on a fesse engrailed azure, three garbs or.  
Crest: Five oak leaves conjoined at base, vert.  
Motto: Vernon semper floret.  
[The descent is from Richard de Vernon, Baron of Shipbroke: see de Redvers (Vernon).]



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ST. MARY OF THE PINES  
CHATAWA  
MISSISSIPPI  
39632

Carter 3-35

July 9, 1977

Dear Miss Page,

I fear that there is little information we can supply regarding the Carter family. I am, however, enclosing copies of pages from the Abstract of Title to our property in which the Carter name is mentioned. Also, on a township plat (Township 1, Range 7, Pike County)--which I am unable to reproduce on our equipment--the names of the following "Carter's" showed ownership of property in Sections, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 23, and 24. -- The present property of St. Mary of the Pines is located in Sections 11, 12, 13, 14.

F. A. Carter	1853
Hardy Carter,	1835, 1836
Isaac Carter	1811, 1812, 1818, 1856
Derrell Carter	1836, 1850
Samuel Carter	1854
Pharaoh Carter	1854
D.W. Carter	1818

A history of Chatawa written by one of our Sisters some years ago states

"Carter's Hill, which since 1890 is known as Chatawa Station, was owned by Henry Carter who was said to be the first white resident of Chatawa after the Indians."

A reference in our meager file of newspaper clippings mentions that there is a creek flowing into the Bogue Chitto River in Pike County called Carter's Creek named after John Carter who settled on it.

This is about all I can find in looking through our records. I hope it will be of some help to you.

Sincerely

*Sister Jean Mauntel*  
Sister Jean Mauntel

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Copies of pages from the Abstract of Title  
to property owned by St. Mary of the Pines  
in which the name CARTER is mentioned.

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CHARACTER OF INSTRUMENT  
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TO

Dated August 1, 1826

Filed May 25, 1926, 11:30 AM

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In the office of Chancery Clerk,

DERRELL CARTER

PIKE

County, Mississippi

NO. 75.

JOHN QUINCY ADAMS, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, OF  
AMERICA

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

KNOW YE, That Derrell Carter of Pike County having deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE, a Certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Washington whereby it appears that full payment has been made for the

Southeast quarter of Section fourteen in

Township one, of Range seven East, con-

taining one hundred and sixty acres,

of the land directed to be sold at Washington, Mississippi in pursuance of the Laws providing for the sale of the lands of the United States in Mississippi and Alabama, there is granted, by the United States, unto the said Derrell Carter and to his heirs the quarter lot or section of land above described.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD THE SAID Derrell Carter quarter lot or section of land, with the appurtenances, unto the said Derrell

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Carter and to his heirs and assigns forever.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have caused these letters to be made patent, and the seal of the General Land Office to be hereunto affixed.

Given under my hand, at the City of Washington, the first day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty six, and of the Independence of the United States of America the fifty first.

By the President: J. Q. ADAMS

GEO. GRAHAM  
Commissioner of the  
General Land Office

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Department of the Interior

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TO

Dated August 1, 1826

Filed December 9, 1929, 8 AM

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In the office of Chancery Clerk,

DERRELL CARTER

PIKE

County, Mississippi

244. Ex'd

No. 71 John Quincy Adams, President of the United States of  
America.

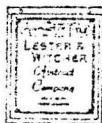
TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, GREETING:

KNOW YE, That Derrell Carter of Pike County, haveing deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE, a certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Washington whereby it appears that full payment has been made for the

South East quarter of Section fourteen, in  
township one, of range seven east, contain-  
ing one hundred and sixty acres

of the lands directed to be sold at Washington, Mississippi, in pursuance of the Laws providing for the sale of the lands of the UNITED STATES IN MISSISSIPPI AND ALABAMA, there is granted, by the United States, unto the said Derrell Carter, and to his heirs the quarter lot or section of land above described.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said Derrell-Carter quarter lot or



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section of land, with the Appurtenances, unto the said Derrell Carter and to his heirs and assigns forever.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have caused these letters to be made PATENT, and the SEAL of the General Land Office to be hereunto affixed.

GIVEN under my Hand, at the City of Washington, the first day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six and of the Independence of the United States of America the fifty-first.

By the President:

J. Q. ADAMS

(SEAL)

GEO. GRAHAM  
Commissioner of the  
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CHARACTER OF INSTRUMENT  
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TO

Dated August 1, 1826

Filed January 15, 1931, 9 AM

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DERREL CARTER

In the office of Chancery Clerk,  
PIKE County, Mississippi

No. 71

JOHN QUINCY ADAMS, President of the United States of America

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME GREETING:

KNOW YE, That Derrel Carter of Pike County having deposited in the General Land Office a Certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Washington whereby it appears that full payment has been made for the,

Southeast quarter of Section fourteen, in Township

one, of Range Seven East containing One Hundred and sixty acres of the Lands directed to be sold at

Washington, Mississippi,

in pursuance of the Laws providing for the sale of the Lands of the United States in Mississippi and Alabama, There is granted by the United States, unto the said Derrel Carter and to his heirs the quarter lot or section of land above described.

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or section of land, with the appurtenances unto the said  
Derrel Carter and to his heirs and assigns forever.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have caused these letters to be  
made Patent, and Seal of the General Land Office to be here-  
unto affixed.

Given under my hand, at the City of Washington, the  
first day of August in the year of our Lord, one thousand  
eight hundred and twenty six and of the Independence of the  
United States of America the fifty first.

(L.S.) By the President J. Q. ADAMS

GEO. GRAHAM, Commissioner of  
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FROM: MATTHEW CARTER. No postmark.

ADDRESSED: (address missing).

MISSISSIPPI TERRITORY, Jackson County,  
March the 10th, 1816

Dear Brother and Sisters:

I have the happiness of informing you that I am in perfect health at present and after a tedious journey of 19 days from the time I left your house I arrived safe at home and found my little son, he is in a kind of a lingering way but no more than when I left him. I met with no difficulty in my journey except wet weather and a bad road which made it very disagreeable traveling.

It is true that I was a little alarmed in the nation on being informed that the Indians had killed two men on the Alabama a few days before, but after further inquiry I was informed that it was some men going up the river in order to settle on a place ----- -egeay-- (about six words illegible)-- hostile Indians which was the cause of their being killed. I have heard since of some more mischief being done but whether it be true or not I cannot tell. I have not heard of their interrupting any person that was travelling (two words illegible) all that I saw of them appeared to be very friendly.

My old mother desires to be remembered to you and to inform you that she enjoys as great health as she ever had (about five words illegible) has the greatest desire to see you all. My brothers and sisters are all well at this time. My sister Casandra has got a daughter and calls her name Jane. Polly has got a son and calls his name William Barbour.

I have conversed with my brothers and sisters about the money that Mr. Williams is owing us and we have concluded not to do anything more about it until the fall as I expect to have to--- to help you about moving.

I want you to write to me the first opportunity to let me know whether you intend coming to this country or not. If you do I want you to write to me what time you will be ready to start and I will try to come provided to assist you all that I can. Give my compliments to Mr. Fletcher and tell him that I like this country much better than I did before I saw his.

I have nothing more to write to you at present, so I remain,

Your truly affectionate Brother,

(signed) Matthew Carter

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March 25, 1993

Max R. Kruemcke, Jr.  
Box 230342  
Houston, TX 77223

Dear Max:

I have been checking on the questions you asked when you phoned last week. I may have come up with what I think is the answer.

I believe that you are probably correct in saying that Mary, daughter of Abner Carter, is probably the wife of John W. Holder.

The Mary who married Ruben Mixon was born in 1825 so it is doubtful that she is the Mary born in 1832. The information that Mary, who was the wife of Ruben Mixon, was a Carter came from a death record. I am unable now to find which death record it came from. There is a Mary, daughter of William Carter and Mary Evans who was born in 1833 that I do not have a marriage for. It is possible that she is the one who married Ruben Mixon, but the age variance is probably too great.

I am in possession of some of her brother, John Prentiss Carter, papers and in them is a letter about the family primarily pertaining to the McLeods. However there is a little on the Carter family. I am enclosing a copy for you. When mentioning the children of Abner and Isabella Carter, no mention of a daughter Mary is made. See what you think of it. There is also a biographical sketch of John P. Carter, but he does not give his brothers or sisters.

I am looking for the death record and hope I can come up with it. In the meantime, I am considering it a fact that Mary married John W. Holder.

Sincerely,

Jean Strickland

HOMELIFE  
TOPIC: GENEALOGY SURNAMES  
TIME: 08/09 5:05 PM  
TO: ALL  
FROM: CLAUDE SLATON (MCPS26A)  
SUBJECT: CARTER

*Carter 3-44*

To Doc Carter and anyone else interested in Isaac Carter.  
Pike County, Miss.

I have located in my files another letter to me from Mrs. Mary Page, who is an excellent Carter researcher. Some new details on Isaac Carter from her letter are listed below.  
"....a few lines from application of Isaac Carter for pension. '...until my term of service expired, having served fifteen days after my term of enlistment before I received a discharge from Col. Harney which was at a place called Lockhart's Folly about 30 miles south of Wilmington, N. C. I then remained a short time in Cumberland Co., N. C., my birthplace, and about the 1st of July 1781 entered the service again for the term of 12 months in the above mentioned place as a Balloted soldier of N.C.' He explains what Balloted soldier meant: he was a substitute, and this service was in militia, while first period was in Cont'l Line."

"You see, between the 2 terms of enlistment he does not mention living or being in S.C. This was in his application, also in app. are questions asked him by the court as to date & place of birth and when and where he entered service....", etc.

"...Q. of birth: 'In Cumberland Co., N.C., and according to the best information [that] was received by me from my friends I was born in the year 1764.' Q. on proof date of birth: 'I never had an exact record of my age, but was informed by my friends who professed to be acquainted with my brother and who said they had children near my age, whose ages were recorded, this being the only channel through which I could obtain any thing like a correct knowledge of my age.' [Interesting, don't you think?...CBS] "Q. where he had lived at time of enlistment and after: 'When called into service I was living in Cumberland Co., N.C., and remained there nearly three years after the close of the war, then moved to Orangeburg Dist., S.C., and lived there until the spring of 1810 then moved to the State of Miss. (then a territory) Pike Co., where I now live.'

Mrs. Page continues: "If you have access to a copy of Miss. Revolutionary Ancestors, compiled by Alice Tracy Welch, pub. by Miss. DAR, I think you will find a fairly good account of this family. The data was submitted by Mrs. N. B. Wayne, a descendant of Mahala Carter who md. Jacob Leonard Amacker. Her children are in AMACKERS OF THE DEEP SOUTH by



Leslie Maud Amacker Arnett...

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"Elizabeth Carter, b. 1809, S.C., md. James Houston & their family are on 1850 census of Pike Co...My primary interest is Allen Carter, of course. As all the other descendants of Isaac's family who have written or pub. anything on the family have his b.d. as 1793 and that is what I have been trying to disprove. None of them show anything else on Allen. I know he was married to Elizabeth Addison. William Addison d. in Amite Co. in Feb. 1811.

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Claude HOMELIFE  
TOPIC: GENEALOGY SURNAMES  
TIME: 08/09 5:06 PM  
  
TO: ALL  
FROM: CLAUDE SLATON (MCPS26A)  
SUBJECT: CARTER

Isaac Carter. Pike Co., Miss., cont'd

"There is a record in Amite Co. that William Addison's dau. Elizabeth, wife of Allen Carter, was paid \$20 from her father's estate. He left no will and a Catharine Addison, presumably his wife, was appointed to admr. his estate. I have a copy of the Sheriff's Sale bill, but other than the record that Elizabeth received \$20 and son William Addison received \$10, there is no record of division of estate. On the sale bill Allen Carter bought a sulky and a Bible. I think this Wm. & Catharine Addison were the parents of my g-g-grmo, Catharine (Addison) Cutrer, but I can't prove it..."

"Someone sent me copies of the pages in Mr. [E. Russ] Williams' new, or maybe I should say, latest reprint and suppliment of Conerly's History of Pike County. On p. 103: 'William Carter m. Hannah Cole at Liberty, Miss. He was 20 years old when he came to Miss. from S.C. with his father.' Isaac said himself that he came to Miss. in the spring of 1810. If this record [Williams'] is true, William was born ca. 1790. Allen is on the 1810 census, Amite Co., over 21, with Isaac. Besides himself, there was another male over 21--could have been William. Miss Texana Carter wrote me that William d. in Pike Co. in 1840, but I don't find a Carter family on the 1840 census which would fit for his wife and children. I have found some of them in Sabine Par., La., later."

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"The new list of children of Isaac & Ann Elizabeth (Nancy) *Carter 3-46*  
Carter you have [I sent her a copy of an article I wrote for  
the La. Gen. Register...CBS] sounds like a list I read in  
the Carter Rownd Papers in University at Hammond  
[Southeastern...CBS]. The part concerning Isaac Carter was  
sent me by a correspondent. I don't know if he did his own  
research or hired it done. He listed an Isaac Carter, Jr.,  
and gives the names of the children as given on the 1850  
census of Washington Parish, La. THAT NAME IS NOT CARTER. IT  
IS ISAAC CUTRER. [her emphasis...CBS]...His only child by  
his 1st wife, name unk., was Daniel Cutrer who was bondsman  
for the marriage of my g-grfa. William C. Cutrer in St.  
Helena Parish, 4 Jan 1843. Daniel d. in Sep. 1843, E.B.R.P.;  
succession on file. The marriage bond for my g-gr parents  
stated both were residents of Pike Co. The m. date is also  
in their Bible in possession of one of my 2nd cousins in  
Magnolia, Miss. ...  
"There was another Isaac Carter in the Rev. War. His record

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shows he too was b. N.C., 1756, son of Matthew and Patience  
Carter, that he served in the N.C. Militia, went to S.C.,  
then to Ga., then to Miss. In our library is a book of  
excerpts from Existant Miss. Newspapers. In one I read of a  
settlement of the estate of Isaac Carter of Perry Co.,  
Miss., who died in 1840. Mr. Rownd had somehow gotten this  
Isaac mixed up with his and my Isaac..."  
Well, Doc, there is more in her letters to me, but I didn't  
see anything that would help you take Isaac back any  
further. Mrs. Page, when I last heard from her in 1987, had  
no children and couldn't drive anymore. If she is still with  
us, God willing, her address is: 9022 Bertwood, Houston TX  
77016. She seems to be a gold mine of Isaac Carter  
information and is a careful and knowledgeable researcher. I  
hope you have the best of luck in your researchin'!  
Let me know if I can help any further. Right now I'm posting  
on quite a few surnames, and I might be a little slow  
getting back. Be patient. Claude in Zachary, La.



FROM: MISS SABRA CARTER. Postmarked: Jackson C.H. Miss. Dec. 23rd

Carter 3-47

ADDRESSED: MR. GRIFFIN HIZELL, Jacksonville, Ga.

Jackson County, Dec. 11th, 1835

Dear Uncle and Aunt:

It is with a heart of sincere feelings that I do once again commence writing a few lines to you and do confess with shame that I have neglected you though it was not because I had forgotten you by no means. Therefore I beg your forgiveness which I hope you will grant; and intend for the future to try and do better.

When I received your letter Uncle Matthew said he intended writing in a short time which he has not yet done. It is likely he will write when he returns home. He is at this time gone on a journey up to the New Purchase to look at the land near where old Uncle Thomas Carter has settled. Father also is gone with him. It is something like two weeks since they left home.

With regard to the helath of the family I can say at this time they are enjoying tolerable good health, though there has been considerable sickness in the family this fall, and generally upon this River. It is thought that the fresh waters being up nearly all the season was the cause of so much sickness.

Father and Uncle has made very sorry crops this year, very indeed. They are almost in the notion of moving if they knew where they could do better.

Dear Uncle and Aunt, I do really feel at a loss for subject to write on. I have nothing now, strange nor interings to inform you of. For which I am sorry for I can only ask again, my dear cousins, the kind favours of a letter from you, but I need not attempt to describe my feelings in those letters. A mixture of sympathy and joy appeared to enlist the feelings of my heart while I could not suppress the tears from my eyes, though unacquainted with you and fear I ever shall my dear uncle and aunt and cousins one and all. What a consolation it would be to us could we see you and enjoy your company, but as that privielge is denied us I would say let us learn in all things to be content and endeavour to live the life of righteous that when we fail on earth we may be prepared to meet at the right hand of the Majesty on high. Yes, my dear cousins, there we shall be done committing our thoughts to paper, where faith will be swallowed in sight, where no more hills and mountains will separate the children of God, where tears will all be wiped away, where afflictions, d distresses and separations will be no more, where the Shepherd with His flock shall be completely housed in the heavenly pasture. My dear cousin you twine about my heart; I fain would see you this evening was it in my power but no, no, I can only say "Go on in the strength of God and He will direct your paths." May God pour out his spirit upon you, and sheild you in this life and finally may we all meet in Heaven is my prayer.

We have never heard from Father Goff since he left us and I fear we shall never see him again. I should be glad if ever you hear from him that you

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that you would let us know it, and also write that some of you will  
come to visit us in a short time. Do not say two or three years; the  
time is too long. No more at present, but Yours in much love:  
To Griffin Mizell and Susannah Mizell.

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(signed) Sabra Carter



Carter 3-49

FROM: MATTHEW CARTER. Postmarked: Jackson Court-house, March 26th

ADDRESSED: MR. GRIFFIN WIZELL, Georgia, Terfair County.

Mississippi State, Jackson Co., 25th Mar. 1821

Dear Brother and Sister:

These lines will inform you that myself and family are in reasonable health at present, hoping these lines will find you and yours enjoying the same.

Dear brother, agreeable to your request when I left you I shall here give you a short account of my journey. The weather being wet and cold and the road very bad made my journey very disagreeable. I had to several times strip of my clothes and swim though I have great reason to be thankful for among all the difficulties and dangers that I met with I enjoyed perfect health all the way and on Monday, the 22nd January, I got safe home and found my family all in good health.

I have not settled the business concerning the note on David Williams yet in consequence of the heirs not being all agreed for it to be settled in the way that we were talking about when I was at your house, and as you wished me to act for you in the division of the Estate I want to send me a power of an attorney as some of the heirs appears to be obstinate, and I wish to have everything done correct.

Tell Mr. Fletcher I did not call on Mr. Lott on my return home but saw a person that lived within six miles of him, who informed me that they were well.

I have nothing more to inform you of at present, only the family connection is all in good health at this time. Please to send the power of an attorney enclosed in a letter directed to Jackson County Postoffice as quick as you can as I wish to have the business settled as soon as I can.

I remain, Your Affectionate Brother,

(signed) Matthew Carter.

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F.N. 'Doc' Carter  
247 Mockingbird Lane  
San Angelo, Texas 76901  
Aug. 13, 1992

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Mrs. Patricia N. Edwards  
26 Robinwood Place  
Purvis, Ms. 39475

Dear Pat,

Seams strange I am not putting your ID in as on \*P\*.

I received your information and I appreciate it very much. I had it and I am returning it attached to a deal on the Magna Carta thing that I want you to look at. It is marked as to how they went into it and thru my Isaac Carter. The Magna Carta people ignore me and I have not tried to contact the Sharp people. I do not know where they are.

There are several questions I need answered from them. How did they prove it from Isaac to a Charles and who is the second Charles they show.? If these two questions were answered it might solve some questions for you and I both.

The Foundation for Historic Christ Church Inc. of Va. has a book published on Robert (King) Carter with 30,000 names in it that I am tempted to buy but others on \*P\* that have the book state my line is not in it.

Mary Page and others have stated Isaac comes in as I show on the info. I am sending to you BUT no one will prove it.

As on the sheet you sent me, The spelling of Minton as Hinton was a mistake I have found it spelled Minton, Hilton, Milton, and some that you could not read at all. As to his marriage to Nancy Harvill I still wonder if he was married more than one time and to a Nancy each time?

And the next child Joseph N it is Jasper Newton. I correspond with his descendants.

What I am sending to you, you can keep, give it to your Lib. or throw it away. I have a motive for sending to you. It might give you a clue as to who both of our relatives are and you can solve the puzzle.

On Claude Slaton's post I encouraged him to post what he did. I have a lot of correspondence with Mary Page and some of the same stuff he has but I needed to check what he had. I will not tell him I have and hope he will post more for any little clue. She is unable to prove Isaac goes to King Carter but has been taking the word of a Miss Texanna Carter from years ago and Miss Texanna is dead.



Carter 3-51

Speaking of Mary Page, bless her heart, she has a tremendous amount of information on the Carter s, Taylors, Page, Cutrer s, etc and she has passed a lot on to me but it is so jumbled up and hard to read, she has arthritis so bad her hands will not work. She is almost blind and she is in bed most of the time. She has no Children, She was married for a while years ago but divorced and resumed with her maiden name. I wrote her one time and told her I was going to call her in about 10 days on a certain day at a certain time. I did and she talked one hour and five minutes and I did not understand 5 words of it. I taped it and still don't know what she said. Now I am telling you this for a purpose she made the remark to me by letter that she would like to give to the Library in McComb Miss. her papers when she dies. I do not know how to follow up on this for you to get the papers for your s. They need to be in Miss. Her address again 1803 Nederland Ave Apt. 206 Nederland, Texas 77627.

I also work with Peggy Cansler 5151 S. Greenway Drive, Tucson Ariz 85706 and she is great on both the Carter s and the Taylor side and she works with Mary Page a lot. She is not on \*P\*

Peggy in her last few letters has brought her thoughts to Samuel Carter that he is probably as close as a brother to Isaac and if so might open some doors. I wonder how that would open up to yours.

Also that Moore Carter and Isaac Carter that drifted over from Va into NC they make me wonder if

Ok I will shut up, There is some old letters included that you can keep and some succession stuff you can keep

Like I said if you don't want it chunk it.

Shirt tail? Cousin Doc

*Doc*

In beautiful downtown San Angelo, Texas by the rippling waters of the Concho s.

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FROM: MISS SUSAN CARTER. Postmarked, Jackson C.H. March 17th. 10¢ *Carter 3-52*

ADDRESSED: MR. GRIFFIN WIZELL, Troupville, Lowndes Co. Ga.

Mississippi, Jackson County, March 16, 1846

Dear Uncle:

By the kind providence of God I am again permitted to drop you a few lines. We received your kind letter written to Father some five or six weeks ago and I intended to have written immediately but having nothing of importance to write I have neglected it until now, and I now avail myself of the opportunity of addressing you these few lines which will inform you that we are all yet alive and are at this time in the enjoyment of tolerable good health. Father and mother feels the effects of old age very sensibly and is always afflicted with pains. Mother for some years past has been troubled with pains in her knees and ankles which hurt her very much.

Elizabeth was married last Oct. to a man by the name of McKey; he as far as I know anything about him, is a very industrious, respectable young man. She lives in about 25 miles of us. William and Mary is now gone on a visit up to Jasper County to see Sister Sabra and I expect will return in a few weeks. I believe that our connection and friends are generally well. Uncle Henry Fletcher has been very sick and like to die but I understand is likely to recover.

I saw some of Uncle Edmond Goff's family yesterday and they were all well. Uncle Edmond has lately been to Texas but does not like the country at all. Uncle Matthew's family I believe, are all well. Cousin Elizabeth Wilson's eldest daughter is married. She was taken about five weeks ago with a severe pain in the head and side and was delirious at times.

We have for our preacher this year Brother Thomas Armstrong, a son of Andrew Armstrong. He has been traveling several years. The people seem to be well pleased with him and I hope, that he may do much good. Andrew Armstrong always inquires about you and wishes to be remembered to you. Dear Uncle, I often think of you and your dear family and think what a pleasure it would be to me if I could only be permitted to see you all once more in this life, but that seems to be out of the question; is a cheering thought to me that I shall meet many of my friends where parting will be no more forever.

Dear Uncle, I hope that you will write soon for I assure you that it is one of the greatest pleasures in the world to us to hear from you all. Remember me in all your prayers. I must now close by subscribing myself.

Your Affectionate Niece,

(signed) Susan Carter.

Fail not in writing as soon as you receive this. Father and Mother and all of the family joins me in love to you all.

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FROM: MATTHEW CARTER AND WIFE, ANN. Postmarked: Jackson G. H. Sept. 8th

ADDRESSED: GRIFFIN WIZELL, State of Ga. Telfair County Postoffice.

Mississippi State, Jackson County,  
8th September, 1822

Dear Brother and Sister:

We received your letter of the 21st July within 13 days from the time it was mailed and was very glad to hear from you. Our family at present is in good health. My brother and sister and families is all in good health at present. Our mother is also well and desires to be remembered to you. She has quit housekeeping and is living about amongst us.

Our crops this year is not very good. We had a storm on the 9 of July that hurt our corn and cotton very much but I hope I shall make a plenty for --- part.

Jane Hyatt is yet living with me and desires to be remembered to you all.

My dear brother, I thank you for the advice you gave me with respect to having preaching in our settlement. We have had regular preaching this year once in three weeks within 4 miles and once in 6 weeks at my house. Some few has joined our Society and I hope we shall have better times than we have had. I want you to write me every opportunity and I will endeavor to do the same.

We remain as heretofore,

Your loving Brother, Sister,

(signed) Matthew and Ann Carter

JANURARY 23, 1995

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DEAR SIR;

I NEED HELP IN LOCATING SOME OF THE LIVING DECENDANTS OF GREEN B. AND EMELINE CATHERINE REBECCA NIX. I AM ENCLOSING WHAT INFORMATION I HAVE SO FAR. WE NEED THIS INFORMATION ON THE NIX'S HISTORY. THE INFORMATION ENCLOSED ON GREEN B. CARTER'S CIVIL WAR RECORD MAY NOT BE RIGHT AS THERE WAS ANOTHER GREEN B. CARTER FROM MISSISSIPPI. WE ARE TRYING TO FIND WHERE GREEN B. AND EMELINE ARE BURRIED. MOST OF THE EIGHT CHILDREN WERE IN THE 1900 CENSUS IN JACKSON CO.

I WOULD APPERICIATE ANY HELP THAT YOU COULD GIVE ME ON THIS FAMILY. I AM ENCLOSING A SMALL AMOUNT, IF THERE WILL BE MORE EXPENSE PLEASE LET ME KNOW.

JAMES W. PITTS  
536 DUSTY ROAD  
SOSO, MS. 39480  
PH. 601-763-6872

*Sent obit & Mrs  
Nether Miller for some  
address + phone no.  
done about 7th Greenberg Carter  
also.*



1.05 EMELINE CATHARINE REBECCA NIX GREEN B. CARTER  
 B. 1829 B. 1816  
 D. D.

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EIGHT CHILDREN

2.01 FRANCIS CARTER B. 1852  
 2.02 LUCY CARTER B. 1854  
 2.03 DARLEY D. CARTER B. 1857  
 2.04 ACEY R. CARTER B. 1860  
 2.05 ELI CARTER B. 1865  
 2.06 MARY CARTER B. 1868  
 2.07 JOHN P. CARTER B. 1872

GREEN B. CARTER WAS A PVT. IN CO. C, 9TH LA. INF. HE INLISTED MAY 17, 1861 AT NEW ORLEANS, LA. HE WAS PRESENT ON ALL ROLL CALLS THRU AUGUST, 1861. IN SEPT. AND OCT. HE WAS ABSENT BUT WAS IN THE HOSPITAL IN JACKSON. MS. FROM OCT. THRU APRIL OF 1862. HE WAS PRESENT FOR ROLL CALL THRU ALL OF 1862. HE WAS CAPTURED AT VICKSBURG AND PAROLED ON OR BEFORE APRIL 1, 1864. HIS PAROLE IS DATED HEADQUARTERS ALLENS BRIGADE, SHREVEPORT, LA. MARCH 29, 1964, FOR PRISONERS EXCHANGE IN NATCHITOCHES, LA.

2.04 ASA (ACEY) R. CARTER M. MARY E. CARTER  
 B. 12-30-1861 B. 2-25-1871  
 D. 6-8-1903 D. 10-26-1947  
 THEY ARE BURIED AT UNION CEMENTARY ON MARTIN LUTHER KING DRIVE, MOSS POINT, MS. ACROSS FROM FIRE STATION.

CHILDREN

3.01 HENRY B. CARTER B. 1891  
 3.02 RAYMOND W. CARTER B. 1894  
 3.03 AIRE (SON) CARTER B. 1895==D. 12-31-1974  
 3.04 FLORA CARTER B. 10-29-1898=D. 7-30-1911  
 3.05 FLORENCE CARTER B. 10-29-1898 <TWIN TO FLORA>  
 3.06 MINERVA EVELINE CARTER B. 1900  
 3.07 FRANCES C. CARTER B. 1903  
 SOME OF THESE ARE BURIED IN JACKSON COUNTY, MS.  
 UNION CEMENTARY IN MOSS POINT, MS.

1920  
 1891  
 29

2.05 ELI CARTER M. ALICE CARTER  
 B. 1863 B. 1872  
 D. 1939 D. 1901

CHILDREN

3.01 EZRA CARTER B. 1891  
 3.02 NETTIE CARTER B. 1892  
 3.03 CLARA CARTER B. 1894  
 3.04 CALLIE CARTER B. 1897  
 3.05 RALIEGH CARTER B. 1898  
 THESE WERE IN JACKSON COUNTY, MS. IN 1900 AND SOME ARE BURIED IN UNION CEMENTARY, MOSS POINT, MS.

3.01 EZRA CARTER MARY D. CARTER

C636

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B. 5-31-1891  
D. 5-4-1953

B. 12-18-1897  
D. 5-19-1987

3.02 NETTIE CARTER  
B. 1-24-1893  
D. 1-12-1982

HOWARD MILLER  
B. 5-30-1898  
D. 3-17-1987

3.03 BRUNER CARTER  
B. 7-3-1900  
D. 6-11-1938



# STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

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## MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

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DEPARTMENT OF VITAL STATISTICS

## STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

State File No.

PLACE OF DEATH

MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

County

Perry

Registered No.

Birth Precinct

4

City or Village

City

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Place of residence in city or town where death occurred? vs. mos. ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth?

Full Name Laura J. Hinton

(Write or Print Name Plainly)

Residence: No. Beaman Miss St. 535

Ward

(Usual place of abode)

(If nonresident give city or town and State)

### PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

### MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

4. COLOR OR RACE: 5. Single, Married, Widowed, or Divorced (write the word)

Male White Widowed

Married, widowed, or divorced: Widowed

HUSBAND of D. B. Hinton

or WIFE of

DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Years 78 Months 11 Days 22 If LESS than 1 day, hrs. 1 or in.

Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as spinner, sawyer, bookkeeper, etc. Horse Rider

Industry or business in which work was done, as silk mill, saw mill, bark, etc. Own home

Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) 7-3-35

11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation 66

PLACE (city or town) Perry, Miss.

State or country Mississippi

NAME Prince Bradley

PLACE (city or town) Port Knew

State or country Mississippi

DECEASED NAME Port Knew

PLACE (city or town) Port Knew

State or country Mississippi

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PLACE (city or town) Port Knew

State or country Mississippi

21. DATE OF DEATH (month, day and year) July 7, 1935

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from 1933 to July 7, 1935

I last saw h. alive on July 6, 1935 Death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 8 P. m.

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance in order of onset were as follows:

Endocarditis

Contributory causes of importance not related to principal cause:

1-97a

Name of operation (if any was done)

What test confirmed diagnosis? Cholesterol

Was there an autopsy? no

23. If death was due to external causes (violence) fill in also the following: Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury 1935

Where did injury occur? 19

(Specify city or town, county, and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in industry, in home, or in public place

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

No If so, specify

(Signed) H. P. Smith M. D.

(Address) New Orleans

Miss.

Registrar.

W. Robinson

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE ON FILE IN THIS OFFICE.

Alton B. Cobb, M.D.  
STATE HEALTH OFFICER

February 9, 1984

David Lohrlich  
STATE REGISTRAR





# Death Certificates for:

1. J.D. Bradley *Ob.?*  
d. apr. 11, 1932 age 67  
parents unknown  
#6935 m. (Pneumonia?)  
*In Hospital*
2. Charlotte Albritton  
d. 28 July 1916 (heart)  
Parents unknown  
Information:  
B.T. Robinson  
New Augusta  
Perry Co., Mo.  
? b. 1 or 7 Aug. 1842  
? age 74 - 9-21  
(widow)  
buried: Morgan  
*Obituary?*  
Husband was  
Milton Jackson  
Albritton - master  
mechanic - where?  
Who did he work for  
in 1860 or a mechanic?

Do you have?

"Index to Territorial Court

Civil Trial Book 1816-1815-

Superior Court, Mississippi

"Territory" 23 District, Box 72

or

Index to Mississippi Ledgers #32

U.S. Public Land Office Records

Relinquishment of Land

Index to Ledger #1

from University of Alabama

The University of Ala. Library

Amelia Layle Logan

Library 205/348

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University,

Alabama

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W.B. Hoyle

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# Those that might have death

certificates - but I don't have  
enough information to  
apply. (I wish I knew some  
one there who could look)  
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1. Isabelle - wife of (1900 census)  
William J. Scanlan  
she b. Apr. 1858  
he b. Jan. 1857 Eng.  
Ch. Julian J. - July 1890 son  
William R. - June 1893 son  
Joe - June 1895 son  
Eva Alma - Dec. 1897 daughter
2. George Washington Bradley  
b. June 1844 (1900 census)  
C 20 marker  
may have had a  
pension?
3. Elizabeth -  
b. ca. 1844  
may have remarried  
after Joseph F. Freeman
4. James  
m. Dollie?
5. Mary Pocahontas  
b. Sept. 1855 (1900 census)  
m. John W. Laughdrell, Jr.  
Green Co., Mo.



Mr and Mrs STRICKLAND. I would be much interested in your book, Misc Records of Southern Mississippi Book #2...if my CARTER bunch was of this line. Please advise, if so.

Lyle K. Williams

CARTER -STOVALL

Carter 3-5A

If you see a connection with my CARTER line, please get in touch. I have, over the years, collected considerable CARTER DATA, some unrelated to my lines. If you would like me to check my records, contact me.

Lyle K. Williams  
5000 Rock River Drive  
Fort Worth, TX 76103

WILLIAM CARTER (possibly son of THEODORICK CARTER) d.c 1810, Halifax CO, NC; m. c 1766, DEONITIA/DEAMILIA \_\_\_\_\_. Had issue: (All b. Sumner CO, TN).

- \*1. JOSEPH W. CARTER (c 1769, Caswell CO, NC; d. June 14, 1839) m. Dec 18, 1790, ANNE MALLORY. (My Line).
2. THEODERICK/THEODORE/THEDERICK CARTER, b c 1769.
3. WILLIAM CARTER, b c 1771.
4. Francis Carter, b c 1793
5. Mary Carter, b c 1775, m. \_\_\_\_\_ Sawyer.
6. MARTHA CARTER, b c 1777, m. \_\_\_\_\_ Baker
7. Nancy Carter, b c 1779, m. \_\_\_\_\_ Costom.
8. Lucy Carter, b c 1781, m. \_\_\_\_\_ Pike.

JOSEPH W. (WHEELER?) CARTER b c 1769, Caswell CO, NC; d June 14, 1839, Sumner CO, TN, m. Dec 18, 1790, Sumner CO, TN, ANN MALLORY. M/2, April 16, 1793, DINAH MALLORY. Children:

1. MARY "POLLY" CARTER b c 1792, d. 1830-38; m. JAMES E. HANNA.
2. FRANCIS CARTER, b. Sept 21, 1794, Caswell NC; d c 1827, m. ELIZABETH DALTON.
3. JOHN CARTER, b c 1796; d before 1838.
4. ELIZABETH CARTER, b c 1798; d c 1838; m. ENOCH SIMPSON, Mar 29, 1818.
- \*5. JOSEPH W. CARTER, b Oct 29, 1799, twin, Caswell CO, NC; d 1868, Sumner CO, TN, m. Sept 20, 1830, NANCY WHITE.
6. WILLIAM MALLORY CARTER, b Oct 20, 1799, twin, Caswell CO, NC; d. Nov 26, 1856, m. c 1826, ELIZA TURNER.
7. NANCY CARTER, b c 1801
8. GEORGE CARTER b after 1802.

JOSEPH W. CARTER, JR., b Oct 29, 1799, Caswell CO, NC; d c 1868, Sumner CO, TN, m. Sept 20, 1830, Sumner CO, TN, NANCY WHITE, b c 1805, TN; dau (probably) of HENRY WHITE; son of THOMAS WHITE and SARAH \_\_\_\_\_. Children:

1. EDWARD M. CARTER, b c 1835, TN m. A.M. moved to Grayson CO, TX.
2. SARAH JANE CARTER, b c 1832, Sumner CO, TN; d. Dec 5, 1902, M. ROBERT T. MITCHELL
3. THOMAS M. CARTER, b c 1836; d before 1870, TX; m. ANNIE RAY.
4. MARY E. CARTER, b c 1838; d 1854, Sumner CO, TN
- \*5. ELIZABETH L. CARTER, b 1840; d c 1863, TX; m. JAMES HENRY STOVALL.
6. WILLIAM F. CARTER, b c 1834; d 1867; m. MARY E. DICKENSON
7. JOSEPH W. CARTER, b c 1842; killed CSA, Civil War.
8. JOHN H. CARTER, b c 1844, killed civil war, CSA
9. ELIZA F/D b c 1846; m. JOHN M. DURHAM m/2, Gregg W. Chipman.
10. VIRGINIA CAROLINE b c 1846; m/1, ALFRED DURHAM; m/2, MARCUS W. ADAMS.
11. MALVINA WHITE CARTER b c 1850, TN.

JAMES HENRY STOVALL, b c 1840, TN; m. Jan 24, 1869, Sumner CO, TN ELIZABETH L. CARTER "Bettie", above; moved to Grayson CO, TX in time to be enumerated in 1870 census. (I have published two huge volumes on the Stovalls for any interested person. I am trying to trace my CARTER line beyond WILLIAM, the oldest known person of the CARTER line.

Carter 3-60

FROM: MRS. CASANDRA CARTER. (No postmark)

ADDRESSED: MRS. JAMES EWING, State of Georgia, Bullock County.

November the 25th, 1911

Dear Children:

These few lines comes in love to you to let you know that we are all well at present, thanks be to God for His mercy, hoping that may find you in the same state of health as we are at present. The old man has a pain in his arm and I am afraid will lose the use of it.

We all held out our journey better than we expected. We have not had one day's sickness since I left you all, thanks be to God for it. Matthew has got a fine son and calls his name Joseph, and William has got a dador (daughter) and calls her name Sabra.

I have nothing remarkable to relate to you. We have bought a little improvement in the piney woods. The range is very good for cattle and hogs. We sold a horse and bought 23 (30)? head of hogs. We settled the sixth of September. We have got a few cows. We have never suffered. As for being satisfied I can't relate. The men seems to be satisfied; as for the two girls they are often in tears for you all and wishes to be with you. Mary and her family is well at present. My heart is so full I can't say no more, but remain Your loving Aunt and Mother tel Death. We do all desire to be remembered to you all.

Pray don't fall wrighting all opportunities. The last words that ever you git from my mouth I am afeard.

(Signed) Casandra Carter.

Don't fail sending these lines to Susan when you have read them.

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Carter 3-61

Apologies are in order for being so long in answering your good letter. First Hurrican Frederick and then a series of minor family crisis kept me busy. We are very thankful that the hurricane did very little damage to the Milton area. Hardest hit were Mobile and Pascagoula, MS. There was tremendous damage in Perry County, MS. It was unbelievable. Even as far north as Richton, huge trees were uprooted and blown into houses. In the southern part of the county, huge amounts of timber are ruined. Many people who make their living from their timber are ruined.

There were so many Merritt graves in the cemeteries we have been copying in Perry County, MS. I will list some of them for you and hope that they may be some you are looking for. We also visited the Carter cemetery on the Leaf River just north of New Augusta, MS.

Isaac Carter  
10-29-1756 in Virginia  
5-3-1840.  
Served in the North Carolina Militia during the Revolutionary War. This marker placed here by his great grandson Robert Bradford.  
There is a foot marker by the DAR also.

Other carters buried there are: Abner Carter d 7-3-1846; Isabella Carter McSwain 2-13-1812/9-3-1876; Katherine B. Carter 10-24-1872/12-24-1966; Katherine Carter wife of J. J. Bradford 5-5-1842/10-13-1908.

Now to the Merritts: Lutishia Merritt wife of M. M. Hinton, 9-16-1896/  
8-23-1973. (This at a cemetery called the "Old Place" out of Beaumont, MS)

Mack Merritt, Mississippi, Pvt. U.S. Army  
WWI, 7-25-1895  
3-13-1963

Denham Cemetery, near Mahned, MS

Demaris E. Carter wife of J. W. Denham  
7-28-1849  
4-8-1906

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Janice, MS cemetery

John B. Merritt	Saftonia daughter of J. B. & Viralie Merritt
9-8-1859	9-7-1897
5-1-1908	4-1-1904

Elizabeth J. wife of Noel Merritt	Verilla Merritt Rawls
8-2-1819 (2 unmarked graves	2-16-1868
12-5-1875 next to this one)	11-15-1946

Laomi Merritt  
10-1-1900  
3-14-1972

We need to make one more trip to Perry County to complete the cemetery survey. I am sure we will never really get all of them. There are some that are off in the woods that only a few people know about. We have used the list compiled by the Archives in Jackson, a state highway dept map which shows all that they ~~xxx~~ know exist and U. S. Forest Service Map that shows all that they know about. We have also ~~xxx~~ asked many people everywhere we went. One thing for sure we are very familiar with all the woods and dirt roads in Perry County. We have really enjoyed it though.

Hope you are enjoying good health and doing ~~xxx~~ lots of research. We still do not know who Ben's great grandparents on the Strickland side were. Maybe if we keep going back to Perry County some bright day some one will know and tell us.

Sincerely,



Milton, Florida  
September 25, 1978

Carter 3-63

Dear Lily:

So good to get your letter and all the good information. I am zeroxing the group sheets and the other two pieces of information and returning with this letter. I did not make many changes on the group sheets as most of them were pretty well written up.

On the Sizergh Castle in Westmoreland County, England. It is still very much intact and is occupied by Stricklands. Two years ago my rich sister in law went with one of her daughters to England and Scotland. She went to the Castle and toured it. She met one of the Stricklands who lived there and she said he looked very much like Ben. I have a current picture post card of it and it is very impressive. I believe it is part of the National Trust (I think they call it) where tours are allowed and it is preserved for historical reasons. It seems that funds from this National Trust help with the upkeep of the place, which might otherwise make the families sell these places because of the expense involved in upkeep.

This Mr. Sharp mentions information received from Marcelyn Parham. I have corresponded with her some. He also mentions a David Strickland. I wonder who that is. I sure would like to have some information on a David Strickland who is reputed to have signed a treaty with the Indians in the late 1700's or Early 1800's.

You are so right about Henry Strickland date of death being 1796. I either goofed when writing it down or meant to write a 6 and didn't do too well at it. His estate was administered first in 1796 in Georgia and in 1798 in Nash County, N.C. The Court minutes state that:

November 13, 1798

An inventory of the estate of Henry Strickland deceased is exhibited in open court on the oath of the administratrix who exhibited letters of administration from Georgia.

The petition of Mary Strickland, widow of Henry Strickland, deceased for the division of the lands which her husband died seized and that Henry Atkins, Benjamin Atkins, William Buntin, Jeremiah Buntin and John Bonds be the commissioners to divide the lands of the said decedant agreeable to law.

On motion Mary Strickland, widow of Henry Strickland deceased on the estate of said deceased, who entered into bond of 4,000  $\frac{1}{2}$  with Noah Strickland, Cornelius Joiner and Henry Atkinson securities.

I guess we are as bogged down in Mississippi as you are in Georgia. Did make a break through on the Indian part though. Finally got the Bureau of Indian Affairs to come up with something. It took this Mississippi bunch of Stricklands back maternally thru Jennie Hale to Samuel Hale and there are supposed to be a large number of affidavits and petitions on file on Samuel Hale proving his Creek ancestry and about his applying for an Indian land grant in Alabama. I wrote asking them to send me these, but have not heard yet.

We had been corresponding with a man in Trenton Michigan for three years and today he and his wife came to see us. She was a Strickland from Georgia (Carroll County). Many of her family live here in Milton and her brother is a real estate salesman for a firm located about a half mile from our house. We had a very nice visit.

Will copy some of the Carter information from ABSTRACTS OF OBITUARIES  
from the Minutes of the Magee's Creek Baptist Association (Mississippi  
and Louisiana) 1882-1924 by E. Russ Williams, Jr. 1978

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Minutes of the Magee's Creek Baptist Association, October 9, 10, 11, 1920  
Printed by the Banner Press, Tylertown, Miss.

BELLE CARTER . . . a member of Line Creek Baptist Church, was born  
November 23, 1890, died April 17, 1920, aged 30 years, 4 months and  
25 days. (page 82)

Fary Carter Pasmen was the daughter of Mr. Buck Carter, was born April  
11, 1828. She was married to Mr. John Pasmen, 1849, united with  
New Zion Baptist church in 1856, where she remained and lived . .  
died August 7, 1914, aged 86 yrs, 4 months and 20 days . . . She leaves  
behind a husband, 4 children, nineteen grandchildren and several great  
grand-children . . . (page 75) From Minutes of the Magee's Creek Baptist  
Association, 1914 printed by The Banner Press, Nome, Miss.

(page 9) Minutes of the Magees Creek Baptist Association held with Hay's  
Creek Church Oct. 8th, 9th, 10th, 1887; Published by Franklinton New Era  
CALVIN CARTER was born in Washington Parish, La., Aug. 9, 1883, aged  
53 yrs, 3 mos, and 24 days. He joined Line Creek Church in 1861,  
was baptized by Elder Turner. He then moved to Terry's Creek in 1871;  
from there to New Hope Chruuch in November 1886, where he remained  
faithful member until death. He leaves a wife, daughter, brother and sister.

Twenty-second Annual Session, Magee's Creek Baptist Association, 1902  
printed by Kentwood Commercial Print (page 55)

I. L. Carter, son of Isaac and Caroline Carter was born on Terry's Creek,  
in Pike County. He was the only son of Isaac Carter by his present wife, and  
truly no more can be said of anyone who has lived or died in the neighbor-  
hood . . . He joined Terry's Creek church August 20, 1885 and died November  
14, 1901.

Twenty Eight Annual Session, Magee's Creek Baptist Association, 1908  
Kentwood Commercial Printer (page 69)

Caroline CARTER united with Jerusalem Baptist church when a girl. After  
this she married I. F. Carter and moved her membership to Terry's Creek  
Church where she remained a faithful member until her death which occurred  
October 26, 1907. She leaves an aged husband and one grandchild . . . .

Minutes of the Fifteenth Annual Session of the Magee's Creek Association held  
with Mt. Nebo Baptist Church, Tangipahoa Parish, La. Oct. 12, 13, 14, 1895  
Magnolia, Miss. Semi-Weekly Gazette, 1895. (page 37)

FALBY POLEAN CARTER, wife of John Carter, was born Feb. 24th, 1853, and  
joined Terry's Creek church on July 30th, 1871, where she remained in  
full fellowship for 24 years. She died July 6th, 1895. Her funeral was  
preached by Rev. W. H. Schilling.

(page 37) Miss M. M. CARTER, daughter of F. M. and Martha Carter, was born  
in 1875, and she was received by experience into Terry's Creek church on  
August 20, 1891. She died January 2nd, 1895.

Minutes of the Eleventh Annual Session of the Magee's Creek Baptist Association  
held with Spring Creek Church, Tangipahoa Parish, La., Oct. 10-12-1891.

Magnolia, Miss. Weekly Gazette Book and Job Printing (page 26)

MATHER CARTER, Daughter of Jonathan and Betsy Newman, was born Nov. 18, 1840;  
she united with Terry's Creek church on Aug. 1876, and lived an exemplary  
member until her death on February 2, 1891, She was married to Brother Frank  
Carter, and leaves a husband and six children to mourn her loss.



Minutes of Magee's Creek Baptist Association, November 24 & 25, 1918  
page (81)

FRANK CARTER . . . born April 6, 1894; united with the Mt. Nebo Baptist Church August 4, 1911, died January 21, 1918, aged 23 years, 9 months and 15 days. Carter 3-65

Minutes of the Fourth Annual Session of the Magee's Creek Baptist Association, held with Beulah Baptist Church, Tangipahoa Parish, La., October 13, 14, 15 1883. Clinton, Miss.: Mississippi Baptist Record Book and Job Print, 1883

(page 4) ELIZABETH PREWITT was born in Amite County, Miss., on March 6, 1859; she died Dec. 13, 1882. She was the daughter of Franklin M. and Martha Carter. She was received into the fellowship of Terry's Creek church in August 1874. She married Smiley Prewitt of Pike County on Dec. 9, 1879. She left her husband and one little boy.

Minutes of the Magee's Creek Baptist Association, 195, printed by the Banner Press, Nome, Miss.  
page 76

I. F. CARTER . . . the subject of this sketch was borne August 24, 1830; was married to Mary Ann Garner, Feb. 14, 1856. She born one child and died October 31, 1860. After living alone some 18 or twenty month was married to a Miss Powell. This marriage was blessed with 3 children and on Dec. 14, 1867 she died. On Dec. 10, 1883 Bro. Carter was married to Caroline Newman. He united with the Terris Creek Baptist Church on August 21, 1872, where he remained a faithful member and lived a life of usefulness and teaching, by example, many good lessons until his death on Dec. 24, 1914. May the Lord . . .

Minutes of the Seventeenth Annual Session of the Magee's Creek Association held with Centerville Baptist Church, Pike County, MS October 9, 10, 11, 1897 Magnolia, Miss. Semi-Weekly Gazette, 1897

(page 44) MATILDA CARTER was born Sept. 4, 1817, and in early life she was married to Jemison Carter who together lived for several years on Terry's Creek in South Mississippi. While there, they reared quite a large family. She was left a widow with small children, but she was spared to see them all grown. Later on she joined the church and in 1871 was one of the members that composed Terry's Creek church in its organization. She died on March 11, 1897.

Twenty second Annual Session, Magee's Creek Baptist Association, 1902 printed by Kentwood Commercial Print.

(page 56) ANGELINE M. RAYBORN, Daughter of Joseph and Rachel Carter was born in Pike County, Miss., July 12, 1828, was married to J. Raborn about 1844. She joined the Baptist Church and was baptized at an early age, and lived a consistent Christian Life. Sister Raborn served the church as deaconess for many years. Sister Raborn was the mother of twelve children, all but four preceeded her to the better land. She united with the Spring Creek Church by letter November 28, 1901. Aged 73 years, 4 months and 16 days, Funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Schilling, and her remains were laid to rest in the family cemetery.

Minutes of the Magee's Creek Baptist Association, October 13, 14, 15, 1917 printed by the Times Press, Amite, La.

(page 80) Mrs. Fannie BRELAND . . . was born in Amite County, Miss, on Feb 5, 1850. age 67. She untied with the Pleasant Hill church Oct. 7, 1885, where she remained a decoted member until her death Feb. 21, 1917. She was the daughter of Mr. \* Mrs. William Powell; was married to Mr. Labron Carter in 1866. She had seven children by this marriage; after the death of her first husband she was married on May 31, 1883 to Mr. Cicero Breland; three children were born to this union. She leaves a husband and eight children, one sister and brother . . . n

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That is all the Carter's mentioned in the book. If there are any other names that you might need, let me know.

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You are right in thinking that the family might have Noah was dead and therefore divided up his estate among his siblings. This happened one time in Texas. A preacher named Dotson left the Houston area and went west and was not heard of for years. Administration of his estate was made and it was divided. He later came back to Houston married the widow of Allen Vince and moved to Henderson where he lived for sometime. So your theory is very possible.

That is the reason we can not find out much about Ben's grandfather Henry Strickland; he went to Texas and never saw his kin folks in Miss. again. Did not write to them because he could not read or write.

Better close for now. Will get this in the mail tomorrow, if I get to go to the University of West Florida where the copy machine only costs a nickel; if not will mail soon as I get to go. Sometimes when I can I make copies where I work, but it is not always possible.

Hope you are having good luck and that we will both soon make a break through on these Stricklands.

Sincerely,



March 4, 1980

Carter 3-67

Mrs. Lily Carter Thurman  
1002 Bay Oaks Road  
Houston, Texas 77008

Dear Mrs. Thurman,

I read your letter in the February 13th issue of The Champion re: the Strickland family. I am not a native of Shelby County but was born and raised in Denison, Texas (Grayson County). I notice that you show a Solomon Strickland who fought in the Revolutionary War. If you will refer to my attached family tree you will find a Solomon Strickland born 1766, died 1815 in Madison County, Georgia. I wonder if this could be the same Solomon Strickland that you have reference to? I am not sure when my great grandfather (Richard G. Strickland) came to Texas but I do know he fought for the Confederacy and lost a leg. He died either before I was born or shortly after since my brother (five years older) remembers him and his wooden leg.

I have enclosed a stamped envelope for any information you may be able to supply and appreciate any information you may have.

Yours truly,

*For Strickland*

1002 Bay Oaks Road  
Houston, Tx. 77008  
March 13, 1980

Dear Stricklands,

I sent some material to the Champion Paper at Center, Tx. on the Strickland family. I received the above letter. Then I sent him our Family Group Sheets. Last night he called me and talked for about an hour. I learned that his cousin did the inclosed papers. He does not know where the cousin is now; but promised to try to get in touch with him.

He has Jacob married to Lucretia Pitts. This may be true since one of Jacob's girls is called Creasy. He also has some material on Uriah which we do not have, etc. I will try to find out what proof he can find from his cousin.

He has some relative in London whom he thinks might do some research.

He thinks that his father had a brother named Ben that lived some place in Texas. Well?????

I think that Henry Strickland's <sup>Thompson</sup> son, ~~Thomas~~ C., who married Elizabeth Gholston was probably the father of his Richard Gholston Strickland who married Phoebe Jane Moore. I have looked at these Grayson County, Tx. Stricklands and thought they might be in our line.

Could your Henry have been in the War of 1812? You know that their land grants could only be in Ill., Ark., or Mo. The descendents of Noah S. Strickland say they were told that their grandmother was a Blackfoot Indian. There could have been some Stricklands that went to Ill. That may be where we are getting lost. I think the Blackfeet Indians lived there.

Tell me what you think about all of this.

*Lily Thurman*

1002 Bay Oaks Road  
Houston, Tx. 77008  
24 Feb. 1987

*Carter 3-68*

Dear Jean,

That deed was great. It shows that Mary Strickland Carter was still alive in 1826. Thanks a million.

Now here I go on a ramble if you are ready to go with me. Noah Strickland born in N.C. about 1801. Leaves home about 1817 with a bunch of Hog drovers. (Family tradition)

Mary Carter born in Jackson County, Ga. about 1803. Her father William Carter had previously made a deed of gift to his other four children. In the same year the United States buys La. So the Carters and Stricklands set out for La. Some arrive in Amite, Pike, and St. Tammany. But La. with its plague and mosquitoes has already been taken. They seem to turn back. Mary Strickland Carter after loosing her last skillet in the probate walks back to Mississippi with a mare and five cows. She has William, Jr. Elizabeth, Unity, and Mary. She must have had relatives who had stopped back in Ms. Well-- Unity left a Bible.

Unity Carter b. 24 Sep. 1793 d. 5 Feb. 1870 m. 3 Dec. 1815  
Amaziah Vardeman who died in Natchez, Ms.

Elizabeth b. 6 July 1795 d. 26 Dec. 1873 m. 19 Sep. 1824  
Green Fenn Lived and died in Simpson Co., Ms.

William S. b. 13 May 1799 m. 18 Jan. 1824  
Lovicy Simmons in Lawrence Co., Ms. & died there.

Mary b. ca. 1803 in Ga. m. ca. 1825  
Noah S. Strickland. They go from Lawrence to Natchoches Parish, La. and on to Texas.

Amaziah Vardeman died 13th June 1825 at Natchez, Ms.

I should have said that Mary and Noah went from Lawrence county, Ms. to Banking County, Ms. They were there in 1830. Mary Strickland Carter was probably with them on the census; but she must have died or gone to live with Elizabeth who lived at Westville, Simpson County, Ms.

Unity and Mary came to Sabine County, Texas to spend their last years about seven miles from where I grew up. Noah and Mary had a child in 1831 born in La.

In OLD CAHABA LAND OFFICE RECORDS AND MILITARY WARRANTS, Marilyn D. Hahn has a discussion on the first page about the early Cahaba Land Office records being first located at Milledgeville, Baldwin County, Ga. and later moved to Conecuh County, then in 1856 it was moved to Greenville in Butler Co., Ala. She states that there are a lot of old ledgers in Montgomery, Ala. that has not been explored.



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Harold Carter Smith  
744 Tinkerbell Road  
Chapel Hill, NC 27514

Dear Mr. Smith:

Thank you for the Carter information you left for us when you were here. It will be most helpful to a great many of our patrons.

I have checked around regarding the son of Isaac Carter, Matthew Carter born ca 1788. The consensus of opinion here is that he is the Matthew Carter who is listed on the Perry County Census with his first wife and family, as follows:

Matthew Carter - Males: 2 under 10, 1(26-45)

Females: 2 under 10, 1(26-45)

It is further believed by most here that Matthews's first wife died and he married second Anna Caroline Hartsfield, daughter of Ruben Hartsfield. Caroline was born 1814 in NC. Matthew Carter is still on the tax rolls of Perry County in 1830. It is believed that he died before 1840.

There were 4 children born of the marriage of Matthew Carter and Anna Caroline Hartsfield. One of these children lived long enough for us to obtain a death certificate. She was Sabra Ann Carter who married an Easterling. Her death certificate states that her parents were Matthew Carter and Anna Caroline Hartsfield.

A couple of other notes of interest on Isaac Carter's family. It is now believed that Patience, wife of Matthew Carter and mother of Isaac was Patience Lamb. See copy of will enclosed. It is also believed that the wife of Isaac Carter of Perry County, MS was Christina Rester, daughter of Frederick Rester. There seems to be one daughter of Frederick Rester who was unaccounted for from some Georgia Church Records.

*Carter 3-70*

I hope that this material is of some help to you. If you would like to communicate further on the Carter-Hartsfield item, you can write Patricia N. Edwards, 1765 Silverado Trail, Napa, CA 94558

If we can be of further service, please feel free to call on us.

Sincerely yours,

Jean Strickland  
Genealogy & Local History  
Department

cc: Smith C. Banks  
241 Donaldson St.  
Statesboro, GA 30458



1002 Bay Oaks Road  
Houston, Texas 77008  
14 July 1983

Dear Ben and Jean,

Carter 3-71

You two have really been a big help to me and my research. I have all of your letters and my answers arranged in date order in a notebook. Today I read a lot of them.

Thanks for the Deed. It really removed all my doubts about Mary Carter. It did fill my head with questions. Could this have been Mary's father instead of her brother? Why would her brother have given all those things away? He did marry three times and had a lot of children. Did a streak of bad luck come to William and Mary--- house burn, sickness, sued for a debt? Was William all excited about the La. Purchase and talking about moving there? What do you think? Has anyone ever studied that deed book for other Strickland information? Wow!

I want you to write a query about your Henry Strickland and I will put it in our Quarterly. I just have to do something to make you as happy as you made me.

Another thing about the Luckett research is that it is in the Memorial Library in Alexander, La. I have thought that there might be more information on the Stricklands there because it is where my grandfather Edmon Merritt stopped for a while after he left Ms. At that time some people came through Alexander and crossed the Sabine below Vernon Parish. There was a gang called the West Gang that operated during and after the Civil War in Sabine and Natchitoches Parishes. People going to Texas tried to escape them. A lot of people were in the wagon train with my Grand Pa Merritt. My Grand Pa Merritt was old enough to remember how they were assigned camping places. Maybe Henry was along.

Jason Niles was a lawyer in Attala Co., Ms. He kept a very extensive diary about the people in the county. from about 1840 to 1880. Some of it is on film. The film is in the library in Kosciusko. The rest is at a University in Raleigh, North Carolina.

Cahaba Land Office Military Warrants Book 320  
Henry Stricklin 8/26/52 11 8 Henry J. Hillman Wilcox Co. Al  
Other Stricklands: Barnabus, Benjamin Sr. & Jr., Jabel, James a4  
Thomas, Wiley.  
Stinson: Jordan B., Micajah

I was able to read all the Deed except for two words. One was the name under Ezekiel Strickland and the other was between twelve pewter plates and one coffee mill.

Ruth Giles is probably the one that gave Mary Strickland Carter the name of Molly Cotton Strickland. There were a lot of Cottons in North Carolina. I would really like to find how the name fits in. She and Nell Giles Dreyfus, and Paul Hardin furnished the material for Avery Kolb about the Giles Family. I don't know where any of these people live. Robbie Watkins of 531 Pinetree Dr., Indialantic, Fla. 32903 told me about it; but she does not write too often or answer questions.

My Howards were in Wakulla Co., Fla. in 1859, and in Liberty 186 3.

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CARTER, JOSEPH  
CARTER, JOSEPH

Jackson Co MS Census 1840  
Jackson Co MS Agricultural Census Aug 1850  
12 acres improved, \$300 cash value of farm.  
\$50 value of farm implements & machinery.  
3 milch cows, 7 other cattle, 80 swine.  
\$220 value of livestock.  
Farm production for the year:  
125 bushels of Indian corn, 5 bushels of  
Irish potatoes, 80 bushels of sweet potatoes,  
50 lbs of butter, 20 lbs of beeswax & honey,  
\$10 value of homemade manufactures,  
\$40 value of animals slaughtered.

CARTER, JOSEPH

Jackson Co MS Census 1850  
**Carter, Joseph** Farmer b. 1811 MS  
**Carter, Lucinda** Wife b. 1819 MS  
**Carter, Caroline** Daughter b. 1837 MS  
**Carter, John** Son b. 1838 MS  
**Carter, Mary Jane** Daughter b. 1842 MS  
**Carter, William** Son b. 1846 MS  
**Carter, Simeon** Son b. 1849 MS

CARTER, JOSEPH

Jackson Co MS Census, #280-281 1860  
**Carter, Joseph** Farmer 48 WM  
**Carter, Lucinda** Wife 40 WF  
**Carter, Wm.** Son 13 WM  
**Carter, S. H.** Son 11 WM

CARTER, JOSEPH

Carter Family Research of Else J. Martin  
Carter Family File, Pascagoula Gen Library  
Born Nov 1811 in Jackson Co, MS.  
Father: **Matthew Carter, Jr. #3**, (1781-1853)  
Mother: **Mary Rester**, (1) wife of Matthew, Jr.  
Married: **Lucinda Goff**, born 09 Feb 1819, Americus  
Father: **James Goff** (1782-1858)  
Mother: **Frances Davis** (1796-c.1815)

Children: 1. **Caroline Carter** 21 May 1837-02 Nov 1906  
2. **John W. Carter** 03 Sep 1838-30 Jan 1894  
3. **Mary Jane Carter** 05 Dec 1842-11 Jun 1911  
4. **William Carter** 1846-04 Jan 1924  
5. **Simeon Carter** 1849-



## FAMILY GROUP RECORD-14

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HUSBAND

LDS ORDINANCE DATA

BORN: PLACE: B:  
CHR.: PLACE: E:  
DIED: PLACE: SP:  
BUR.: PLACE: SS:  
MARR: PLACE:  
FATHER:  
MOTHER:

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WIFE JANE CARTER-718

BORN: 1795 PLACE: ,,GEORGIA B:  
CHR.: PLACE: E:  
DIED: 30 May 1856 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI SP:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
FATHER: MATTHEW CARTER-64 PARENTS' MRIN: 217  
MOTHER: CASSANDRA BARBOUR-46

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CHILDREN

1. NAME: SEBORNE CARTER-1  
---- BORN: 1814 PLACE: ,,MISSISSIPPI B:  
M CHR.: PLACE: E:  
DIED: PLACE: SP:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE: JANE-1008 MRIN: 312  
MARR: PLACE: SS:

2. NAME: NOAH CARTER-723  
---- BORN: 22 Oct 1818 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B: 30 Jun 1972 ARIZO  
M CHR.: PLACE: E: 22 Sep 1972 ARIZO  
DIED: 9 May 1874 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI SP: 24 Jan 1973 ARIZO  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE: ROSEANNA JENKINS-900 MRIN: 279  
MARR: PLACE: SS:

3. NAME:  
---- BORN: PLACE: B:  
CHR.: PLACE: E:  
DIED: PLACE: SP:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE:  
MARR: PLACE: SS:

4. NAME:  
---- BORN: PLACE: B:  
CHR.: PLACE: E:  
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Husband \_\_\_\_\_  
Wife \_\_\_\_\_

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HUSBAND  
WIFE JANE CARTER-718

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Yr of Birth  
Yr of Birth 1795

HUSBAND -

WIFE - JANE CARTER-718

SO FAR, NOTHING IS TOLD OF HER MARRIAGE BUT SONS ARE MENTIONED. EVERYTHING IN THE ANCESTRY IS BASED ON FAMILY OUTLINES FROM FAMILY BIBLES OF MATTHEW AND PATIENCE CARTER AND THEIR DESCENDANTS, CENSUSES. ALSO SOURCES OF JUDGE FOLKS HUXFORD OF HOMERVILLE, GA; THE CARTER LETTERS; MRS PRENTISS E SMITH; MRS E.B. MCRANEY; CEMETERIES ETC., AS FOUND AT THE PASCAGULA REGIONAL LIBRARY.

CHILD 1 - SEBORNE CARTER-1

CHILD 2 - NOAH CARTER-723

IN RESEARCHING FOR THIS MAN, I FOUND HIM ON THE 1850 CENSUS, LIVING WITH HIS BROTHER, SEBORNE. IN RESEARCHING AT THE PASCAGULA LIBRARY, I FOUND A GROUP WHO WERE INDEXING AND COMPILING THE CARTER HISTORY. THOSE WHO KNEW THE CARTER FAMILY WELL, SAY THAT THEY ALL LIVED WITH EACH OTHER, RATHER THAN SEPARATE HOUSEHOLDS FOR EACH FAMILY, WHICH ANSWERS WHY MATILDA WAS NOT IN THE SAME HOUSE WITH HER FATHER. THIS WAS THE CIVIL WAR ERA AND I CAN IMAGINE SURVIVAL WAS HARD AND UNSURE. THERE IS A FOLDER AT THE PASCAGULA LIBRARY WITH THE CARTER HISTORY IN IT. ALONG WITH THE CENSUS'S THAT SUBSTANTIATE MATILDA'S PARENTS, WE FOUND THAT SEBORNE AND NOAH WERE BROTHERS. THEIR MOTHER WAS JANE CARTER. ON THE 1850 CENSUS, SHE WAS LIVING WITH SEBORNE, AND NOAH LIVED NEXT DOOR WITH HIS AUNT CASSANDRA (CARTER) AND UNCLE EDMOND GOFF. ONCE I FELT CONFIDENT THAT I HAD FOUND HER FAMILY, I THEN WENT THROUGH THE CARTER FOLDER AND FOUND INFORMATION THAT GOES ALL THE WAY BACK TO MATTHEW & PATIENCE CARTER. ANYTHING BEYOND THAT IS NEW RESEARCH.

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WRITE PLAINLY WITH UNFADING BLACK INK -- THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

Registration District No. 10		ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF HEALTH Bureau of Vital Statistics		66 117373 Carter 3-75	
Primary Registration District No.					
1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY <u>CHICOT</u>		JAN 9 1967		2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived, if institutions Res. before ad.) a. STATE <u>ARKANSAS</u> b. COUNTY <u>CHICOT</u>	
b. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION <u>EUDORA</u>		c. Length of Stay in 1b <u>54 YRS</u>		c. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION <u>EUDORA</u>	
d. NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION <u>RT2 BOX 90 EUDORA ARK</u>		d. STREET ADDRESS <u>RT. 2 BOX 90</u>			
e. IS PLACE OF DEATH INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		e. IS RESIDENCE INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		f. IS RESIDENCE ON A FARM? YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	
3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print) First Middle Last <u>MATILDA ANN SMITH</u>		4. DATE OF DEATH Month Day Year <u>DEC. 24 1966</u>			
5. SEX <u>FEMALE</u>	6. COLOR OR RACE <u>WHITE</u>	7. Married <input type="checkbox"/> Never Married <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/>	8. DATE OF BIRTH <u>SEPT 29 1865</u>	9. AGE (In yrs. If Under 1 Year last birthday) Months Days Hours Min. <u>101</u>	
10a. Usual Occupation (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) <u>HOUSEWIFE</u>		10b. Kind of Business or Industry <u>HOUSEKEEPING</u>		11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) <u>LILCEDALE, MISS.</u>	
12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? <u>U.S.A.</u>		13. FATHER'S NAME <u>NOA CARTER</u>		14. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME <u>MARY ANN ASHLEY</u>	
15. Was Deceased ever in U. S. Armed Forces? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give war or dates of service) <u>NO</u>		16. Social Security No. <u>NO</u>		17. INFORMANT <u>Wm Price Smith</u> Address <u>RT2 BOX 90 EUDORA ARK.</u>	
18. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c).)					
PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY: IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) <u>Arteriosclerosis Generalized</u>					
Conditions, if any which gave rise to above cause (a), stating the underlying cause last.					
DUE TO (b) <u>Pneumonia</u> 450.0					
DUE TO (c)					
PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS Contributing to Death but Not Related to the Terminal Disease Condition Given in Part I(a)					
19. WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					
20a. ACCIDENT <input type="checkbox"/> SUICIDE <input type="checkbox"/> HOMICIDE <input type="checkbox"/>		20b. DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED. (Enter nature of injury in Part I or Part II of Item 18.)			
20c. TIME OF INJURY Hour Month Day Year a.m. p.m.					
20d. INJURY OCCURRED WHILE <input type="checkbox"/> NOT WHILE <input type="checkbox"/> AT WORK AT WORK		20e. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., in or about home, farm, factory, street, office bldg., etc.)		20f. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION COUNTY STATE	
21. I attended the deceased from <u>1955</u> to <u>Dec 24, 1966</u> and last saw him alive on <u>Dec 22, 1966</u>					
Death occurred at <u>8:15 A</u> m on the date stated above; and to the best of my knowledge, from the causes stated.					
22a. SIGNATURE <u>Wm Price Smith</u>		22b. ADDRESS <u>Eudora, Arkansas</u>		22c. DATE SIGNED <u>12-29-66</u>	
23a. Burial, Cremation, Removal (Specify) <u>BURIAL</u>		23b. DATE <u>DEC. 26, 1966</u>		23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY <u>MT. CARMEL</u>	
23d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) <u>EUDORA, CHICOT, ARK</u>					
24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR <u>Skup Funeral Home - Eudora</u>		25. DATE RECD. by LOCAL REG. <u>1-6-67</u>		26. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <u>Marie Prestidge</u>	

CERTIFICATE NOT LEGAL UNLESS IT BEARS STATE SEAL AND SIGNATURE OF STATE REGISTRAR.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the above is an exact reproduction of the original record on file in this office and of which I am legal custodian. Witness my hand and seal of the Arkansas Department of Health at Little Rock, Arkansas. (Copy not legal if it does not have raised seal).

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Date

Henry C. Robinson Jr.  
State Registrar



# PEDIGREE CHART

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Chart no. 1

## Ordinance Codes:

=Baptized  
=Endowed  
=Sealed to parents  
=Sealed to spouse  
=Children's ordinances

2 PRICE SMITH-4-----  
B: 25 Dec 1902 BEPS  
P: LUCEDALE, J, MISSISSIPPI  
M: 23 Sep 1924 --2  
P:  
D: 27 Dec 1982  
P: FT WORTH, TEXAS

CHARLES PRICE SR SMITH-192-----  
B: 2 Sep 1939 BEPS  
P: EUDORA, ARK  
M: 21 Oct 1978 --104  
P: JACKSONVILLE, ARK  
D:  
P:  
SHERRY LEE STEWART-377-----  
Spouse

3 BIRDIE MAE MCLAIN-5-----  
B: 29 Oct 1905 BEP  
P: MAYTON, RANKIN, MISSISSIPPI  
D: 19 Jul 1942  
P: DELHI, RICHLAND, LOUISIANA

ame and address of submitter:

4 WILLIAM H SMITH-49-----  
B: 1867 BEPS  
P: SCRANTON, J, MISSISSIPPI  
M: 3 Apr 1893 --12  
P: JACKSON, MS  
D: Jan 1924  
P: OAK GROVE, WC, LOUISIANA

5 MATILDA ANN CARTER-50-----  
B: 29 Sep 1874  
P: MOSS POINT, J, MISSISSIPPI  
D: 24 Dec 1964/1966  
P: EUDORA, CHICOT, ARKANSAS

6 JAMES W MCLAIN-11-----  
B: 12 Nov 1866/1870 S  
P: RANKIN, MISSISSIPPI  
M: 15 Nov 1893 --3  
P:  
D: 15 Jan 1919  
P: PUCKETT, MISSISSIPPI

7 ELLEN WALTERS-12-----  
B: 21 Jan 1875  
P: MISSISSIPPI  
D: 23 Jan 1919  
P: PUCKETT, MISSISSIPPI

8 ALFRED SMITH-576-----  
B:  
P: GEORGIA *Alabama* BEPS  
M: 7 Nov 1864 --66  
P: MOBILE, MOBILE, AL

9 SUSAN HOWELL-577-----  
B: 1845 BEP  
P: GEORGE, MISSISSIPPI  
D:  
P:

10 NOAH T CARTER-1012-----  
B: 1845  
P: JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI  
M: 1865 --313  
P: MOSS POINT, J, MISSISSIPPI  
D: 1895  
P:

11 MARY ANN ASHLEY-135-----  
B: 1847  
P: JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI  
D:  
P:

12 ALEXANDER (SANDY) MCLAIN-913-----  
B: 13 Nov 1827 BEP  
P: SOUTH CAROLINA  
M: 25 Dec 1860 --282  
P: RANKIN, MISSISSIPPI  
D: 14 Apr 1906  
P: MCLAIN, RANKIN, MISSISSIPPI

13 VENITIA W MAY-914-----  
B:  
P:  
D:  
P:

14 ANDREW J. WALTERS-952-----  
B: 10 Mar 1846  
P: LYNWOOD, MISSISSIPPI  
M: 3 Jan 1871 --297  
P: LYNWOOD, MISSISSIPPI  
D:  
P:

15 CAROLINE M E PURVIS-955-----  
B:  
P:  
D:  
P:

16 -----

17 -----

18 WILLIAM HOWELL-700-----

19 MARY ANN-729-----

20 SEBORNE CARTER-1-----

21 MARY ANN GOFF-1044-----

22 JOHN ASHLEY-722-----

23 ELIZABETH ASHLEY-721-----

24 MCLAIN-930-----

25 MCLAIN-931-----

26 -----

27 -----

28 WILLIAM WALTERS-945-----

29 SUSANNAH PATRICK-944-----

30 -----

31 -----



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Matilola Ann Carter Smith



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HUSBAND WILLIAM H SMITH-49

LDS ORDINANCE DATA

BORN: 1867 PLACE: SCRANTON, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI  
 CHR.: PLACE:  
 DIED: Jan 1924 PLACE: OAK GROVE, WEST CARROLL, LOUISIANA  
 BUR.: PLACE: FORREST CEM, FORREST, LOUISIANA  
 MARR: 3 Apr 1893 PLACE: , JACKSON, MS  
 FATHER: ALFRED SMITH-576  
 MOTHER: SUSAN HOWELL-577

B: 27 Oct 1995 DLS  
 E: 27 Oct 1995 DLS  
 SP: 27 Oct 1995 DLS  
 SS: 21 May 1987 DLS  
 has other marriage(s)  
 PARENTS' MRIN: 66

WIFE MATILDA ANN CARTER-50

BORN: 29 Sep 1874 PLACE: MOSS POINT, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI  
 CHR.: PLACE:  
 DIED: 24 Dec 1964/1966 PLACE: EUDORA, CHICOT, ARKANSAS  
 BUR.: PLACE: , EUDORA, ARKANSAS  
 FATHER: NOAH T CARTER-1012  
 MOTHER: MARY ANN ASHLEY-135

B:  
 E:  
 SP:  
 PARENTS' MRIN: 313

## CHILDREN

## 1. NAME: ROY E SMITH-58

---- BORN: Mar 1893 PLACE: , MISSISSIPPI  
 M CHR.: PLACE:  
 DIED: PLACE:  
 BUR.: PLACE:  
 SPOUSE: GERONA EFFIE TAYLOR SMITH-118  
 MARR: 4 May 1911 PLACE: WIGGINS, GEORGE, MISSISSIPPI

B: 27 Oct 1995 DALLA  
 E: 28 Oct 1995 DALLA  
 SP: 18 Nov 1995 DALLA  
 MRIN: 29  
 SS:

## 2. NAME: MINDORA (DORI) SMITH-68

---- BORN: Apr 1895 PLACE: LUCEDALE, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI  
 F CHR.: PLACE:  
 DIED: PLACE:  
 BUR.: PLACE:  
 SPOUSE: HENRY CHELETTE-74  
 MARR: PLACE:

B: 27 Oct 1995 DALLA  
 E: 27 Oct 1995 DALLA  
 SP: 27 Oct 1995 DALLA  
 MRIN: 16  
 SS:

## 3. NAME: HILRY SMITH-60

---- BORN: 24 Apr 1898 PLACE: LUCEDALE, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI  
 M CHR.: PLACE:  
 DIED: 16 Jan 1979 PLACE: EUDORA, CHICOT, ARKANSAS  
 BUR.: PLACE:  
 SPOUSE: EUNICE E SMITH-86  
 MARR: PLACE:

B: 27 Oct 1995 DALLA  
 E: 18 Nov 1995 DALLA  
 SP: 18 Nov 1995 DALLA  
 MRIN: 24  
 SS:

## 4. NAME: WESLEY EUGENE SMITH-61

---- BORN: 1 Jul 1897 PLACE: LUCEDALE, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI  
 M CHR.: PLACE:  
 DIED: Jun 1967 PLACE: BASTROP, , LOUISIANA  
 BUR.: PLACE: BANITA BAPT CH, OAK GROVE, WEST CARROLL, LOUISIANA  
 SPOUSE: MATTIE SUE KERSH-96  
 MARR: PLACE:

B: 27 Oct 1995 DALLA  
 E: 18 Nov 1995 DALLA  
 SP: 18 Nov 1995 DALLA  
 MRIN: 27  
 SS:

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 at the \_\_\_\_\_ temple.  
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Relationship to

Husband \_\_\_\_\_

Wife \_\_\_\_\_



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WIFE MATILDA ANN CARTER-50Yr of Birth 1867  
Yr of Birth 1874

## CHILDREN (continued)

## 5. NAME: PRICE SMITH-4

---- BORN: 25 Dec 1902 PLACE: LUCEDALE, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI  
M CHR.: PLACE:  
DIED: 27 Dec 1982 PLACE: FT WORTH, TEXAS  
BUR.: 29 Dec 1982 PLACE: EUDORA, CHICOT, ARKANSAS  
SPOUSE: BIRDIE MAE MCLAIN-5  
MARR: 23 Sep 1924 PLACE:

B: 21 May 1987 DALLA  
E: 21 May 1987 DALLA  
SP: 21 May 1987 DALLA  
MRIN: 2  
SS: 21 May 1988 DLS

## 6. NAME: LEONARD SMITH-72

---- BORN: 21 Aug 1903 PLACE: LUCEDALE, JACKSON, MS  
M CHR.: PLACE:  
DIED: Feb 1972 PLACE: EUDORA, CHICOT, AR  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE: UNKNOWN UNKNOWN-138  
MARR: PLACE:

B: 27 Oct 1995 DALLA  
E: 18 Nov 1995 DALLA  
SP: 18 Nov 1995 DALLA  
MRIN: 34  
SS:

## 7. NAME: SHERMAN (MACK) LEE SMITH-73

---- BORN: 11 Apr 1909 PLACE: LUCEDALE, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI  
M CHR.: PLACE:  
DIED: 1 Jan 1960 PLACE:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE: NELLIE BRUCE-141  
MARR: PLACE:

B: 27 Oct 1995 DALLA  
E: 18 Nov 1995 DALLA  
SP: 18 Nov 1995 DALLA  
MRIN: 35  
SS:

## 8. NAME: SAMUEL (DICK) SMITH, SR.-71

---- BORN: 21 Apr 1900 PLACE: LUCEDALE, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI  
M CHR.: PLACE:  
DIED: 13 Jun 1965 PLACE: EUDORA, CHICOT, ARKANSAS  
BUR.: PLACE: EUDORA, CHICOT, ARKANSAS  
SPOUSE: ETHEL M SMITH-78  
MARR: PLACE:

B: 27 Oct 1995 DALLA  
E: 18 Nov 1995 DALLA  
SP: 18 Nov 1995 DALLA  
MRIN: 18  
SS:

## 9. NAME: RUBIE SMITH-136

---- BORN: Abt 1907 PLACE: LUCEDALE, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI  
F CHR.: PLACE:  
DIED: PLACE:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE: DAVIS-766  
MARR: PLACE:

B: 27 Oct 1995 DALLA  
E: 18 Nov 1995 DALLA  
SP: 18 Nov 1995 DALLA  
MRIN: 215  
SS:

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Mary Ann Ashley  
wife of  
Noah L. Carter



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HUSBAND NOAH T CARTER-1012

LDS ORDINANCE DATA

BORN: 1845 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI  
 CHR.: PLACE:  
 DIED: 1895 PLACE:  
 BUR.: PLACE:  
 MARR: 1865 PLACE: MOSS POINT,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI  
 FATHER: SEBORNE CARTER-1  
 MOTHER: MARY ANN GOFF-1044

B:  
 E:  
 SP:  
 SS:  
 PARENTS' MRIN: 322

WIFE MARY ANN ASHLEY-135

BORN: 1847 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI  
 CHR.: PLACE:  
 DIED: PLACE:  
 BUR.: PLACE:  
 FATHER: JOHN ASHLEY-722  
 MOTHER: ELIZABETH ASHLEY-721

B:  
 E:  
 SP:  
 has other marriage(s)  
 PARENTS' MRIN: 11

## CHILDREN

1. NAME: JERALDINE CARTER-1017

--- BORN: 1865 PLACE: MOSS POINT,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI  
 F CHR.: PLACE:  
 DIED: PLACE:  
 BUR.: PLACE:  
 SPOUSE:  
 MARR: PLACE:

B:  
 E:  
 SP:  
 SS:

2. NAME: JOHN CARTER-1018

--- BORN: 1868 PLACE: MOSS POINT,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI  
 M CHR.: PLACE:  
 DIED: PLACE:  
 BUR.: PLACE:  
 SPOUSE:  
 MARR: PLACE:

B:  
 E:  
 SP:  
 SS:

3. NAME: SAMUEL CARTER-1019

--- BORN: 1869 PLACE: MOSS POINT,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI  
 M CHR.: PLACE:  
 DIED: PLACE:  
 BUR.: PLACE:  
 SPOUSE:  
 MARR: PLACE:

B:  
 E:  
 SP:  
 SS:

4. NAME: MATILDA ANN CARTER-50

--- BORN: 29 Sep 1874 PLACE: MOSS POINT,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI  
 F CHR.: PLACE:  
 DIED: 24 Dec 1964/1966 PLACE: EUDORA,CHICOT,ARKANSAS  
 BUR.: PLACE: ,EUDORA,ARKANSAS  
 SPOUSE: WILLIAM H SMITH-49  
 MARR: 3 Apr 1893 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MS

B:  
 E:  
 SP:  
 MRIN: 12  
 SS: 21 May 1987 DLS

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 at the \_\_\_\_\_ temple. |  
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Relationship to  
 Husband \_\_\_\_\_  
 Wife \_\_\_\_\_

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HUSBAND NOAH T CARTER-1012  
WIFE MARY ANN ASHLEY-135

Yr of Birth 1845  
Yr of Birth 1847

## CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: ELLEN ASALINE CARTER-1020

---- BORN: 19 Nov 1878 PLACE: MOSS POINT, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI  
F CHR.: PLACE:  
DIED: 12 Mar 1947 PLACE:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE:  
MARR: PLACE:

B:  
E:  
SP:  
SS:

6. NAME: SEBORNE CARTER-1021

---- BORN: 1879 PLACE: MOSS POINT, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI  
M CHR.: PLACE:  
DIED: 1945 PLACE:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE:  
MARR: PLACE:

B:  
E:  
SP:  
SS:

7. NAME: FANNIE CARTER-1056

---- BORN: 1882 PLACE: MOSS POINT, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI  
F CHR.: PLACE:  
DIED: PLACE:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE:  
MARR: PLACE:

B:  
E:  
SP:  
SS:

8. NAME: WILEY L CARTER-1057

---- BORN: 1886 PLACE: MOSS POINT, JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI  
M CHR.: PLACE:  
DIED: PLACE:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE:  
MARR: PLACE:

B:  
E:  
SP:  
SS:



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HUSBAND NOAH T CARTER-1012  
WIFE MARY ANN ASHLEY-135

Yr of Birth 1845  
Yr of Birth 1847

HUSBAND - NOAH T CARTER-1012

THIS IS MATILDA'S FATHER, FOUND ON 1850 CENSUS AS SEBORNE'S SON. MARY JANE ASHLEY LIVED JUST DOWN THE STREET FROM HIM THEN, SHE WAS ALSO 4 YEARS OLD.

WIFE - MARY ANN ASHLEY-135

THIS WAS MATILDA ANN CARTER SMITH'S MOTHER. FOUND HER ON THE CENSUS IN 1850.

CHILD 1 - JERALDINE CARTER-1017

CHILD 2 - JOHN CARTER-1018

CHILD 3 - SAMUEL CARTER-1019

CHILD 4 - MATILDA ANN CARTER-50

WE KNEW VERY LITTLE ABOUT MATILDA'S FAMILY, OTHER THAN SHE CAME FROM MISSISSIPPI. SHE WAS THE ONLY 'MOTHER' THAT CHARLES KNEW AS A CHILD, BECAUSE HIS OWN MOTHER, BIRDIE MAE McLAIN SMITH, DIED WHEN HE WAS ONLY THREE. AFTER THAT MATILDA, HIS GRANDMOTHER, ALONG WITH OTHERS, LIKE AUNT DORI, TOOK CARE OF HIM UNTIL HE LEFT EUDORA WHEN HE WAS A TEENAGER. THERE WAS A RECORD SUBMITTED TO THE TEMPLE IGI IN THE '60'S THAT GAVE MATILDA AS BEING BORN IN GEORGETOWN MISS, WITH THE FATHER'S NAME AS MILTON. THAT INFORMATION SINCE THEN HAS PROVED TO BE INCORRECT.

CHILD 5 - ELLEN ASALINE CARTER-1020

CHILD 6 - SEBORNE CARTER-1021

CHILD 7 - FANNIE CARTER-1056

CHILD 8 - WILEY L CARTER-1057

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HUSBAND SEBORNE CARTER-1

LDS ORDINANCE DATA

BORN: 1814 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
 CHR.: PLACE: E:  
 DIED: 1886 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI SP:  
 BUR.: PLACE: SS:  
 MARR: 1841 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI has other marriage(s)  
 FATHER: PARENTS' MRIN: 14  
 MOTHER: JANE CARTER-718

WIFE MARY ANN GOFF-1044

BORN: 1821 PLACE: B:  
 CHR.: PLACE: E:  
 DIED: 1847 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI SP:  
 BUR.: PLACE:  
 FATHER:  
 MOTHER:

## CHILDREN

## 1. NAME: HARMON CARTER-1009

---- BORN: 1841 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
 M CHR.: PLACE: E:  
 DIED: 1863 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI SP:  
 BUR.: PLACE:  
 SPOUSE:  
 MARR: PLACE: SS:

## 2. NAME: SAMUEL CARTER-1010

---- BORN: 1843 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
 M CHR.: PLACE: E:  
 DIED: 1863 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI SP:  
 BUR.: PLACE:  
 SPOUSE:  
 MARR: PLACE: SS:

## 3. NAME: JOB F CARTER-1011

---- BORN: 1844 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
 M CHR.: PLACE: E:  
 DIED: PLACE: SP:  
 BUR.: PLACE:  
 SPOUSE:  
 MARR: PLACE: SS:

## 4. NAME: NOAH T CARTER-1012

---- BORN: 1845 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
 M CHR.: PLACE: E:  
 DIED: 1895 PLACE: SP:  
 BUR.: PLACE:  
 SPOUSE: MARY ANN ASHLEY-135 MRIN: 313  
 MARR: 1865 PLACE: MOSS POINT,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI SS:

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 at the \_\_\_\_\_ temple.  
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Relationship to

 Husband \_\_\_\_\_  
 Wife \_\_\_\_\_



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HUSBAND SEBORNE CARTER-1

## LDS ORDINANCE DATA

BORN: 1814 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
CHR.: PLACE: E:  
DIED: 1886 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI SP:  
BUR.: PLACE: SS:  
MARR: PLACE: has other marriage(s)  
FATHER: PARENTS' MRIN: 14  
MOTHER: JANE CARTER-718

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WIFE SARAH JANE WALKER-1008

BORN: 1831 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
CHR.: PLACE: E:  
DIED: PLACE: SP:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
FATHER:  
MOTHER:

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CHILDREN

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1. NAME: ALBERT BROWN CARTER-1045

---- BORN: 16 Nov 1851 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
M CHR.: PLACE: E:  
DIED: 28 Jun 1923 PLACE: SP:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE:  
MARR: PLACE: SS:

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2. NAME: MILTON CARTER-1046

---- BORN: 11 Dec 1852 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
M CHR.: PLACE: E:  
DIED: 8 Aug 1942 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI SP:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE:  
MARR: PLACE: SS:

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3. NAME: WILLIAM P CARTER-1016

---- BORN: 1855 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
M CHR.: PLACE: E:  
DIED: PLACE: SP:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE:  
MARR: PLACE: SS:

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4. NAME: MARY ANN CARTER-1014

---- BORN: 1856 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
F CHR.: PLACE: E:  
DIED: PLACE: SP:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE:  
MARR: PLACE: SS:

Check one option for all individuals on this form: |  
[ ] 1. I will provide proxies for [ ]Bap [ ]End [ ]Seal |  
at the \_\_\_\_\_ temple. |  
[ ] 2. Please provide all proxies at any temple. |  
[ ] 3. Send all names to the Ancestral File. |

Relationship to

Husband \_\_\_\_\_

Wife \_\_\_\_\_

## FAMILY GROUP RECORD-312

16 May 1996

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HUSBAND SEBORNE CARTER-1  
WIFE SARAH JANE WALKER-1008

Yr of Birth 1814  
Yr of Birth 1831

## CHILDREN (continued)

## 5. NAME: ELLEN CARTER-1015

---- BORN: 23 Aug 1857 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
F CHR.: PLACE: E:  
DIED: 3 Mar 1923 PLACE: SP:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE:  
MARR: PLACE: SS:

## 6. NAME: MALETA JANE CARTER-1013

---- BORN: 1864 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
F CHR.: PLACE: E:  
DIED: PLACE: SP:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE:  
MARR: PLACE: SS:

## 7. NAME: WILEY H CARTER-1047

---- BORN: 1860 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
M CHR.: PLACE: E:  
DIED: 1882 PLACE: SP:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE:  
MARR: PLACE: SS:

## 8. NAME: JAMES H CARTER-1048

---- BORN: 1862 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
M CHR.: PLACE: E:  
DIED: 1862 PLACE: SP:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE:  
MARR: PLACE: SS:

## 9. NAME: ELLIS E CARTER-1049

---- BORN: 12 Dec 1867 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
M CHR.: PLACE: E:  
DIED: 4 Mar 1940 PLACE: SP:  
BUR.: PLACE:  
SPOUSE:  
MARR: PLACE: SS:

## 10. NAME: LOUCINDA LOUELLA CARTER-1050

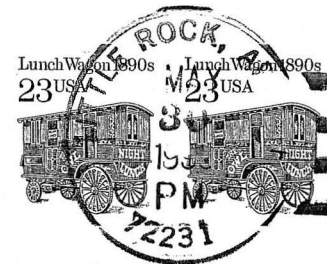
---- BORN: 1871 PLACE: ,JACKSON,MISSISSIPPI B:  
F CHR.: PLACE: E:  
DIED: PLACE: SP:  
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MARR: PLACE: SS:

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THE CHURCH OF  
JESUS CHRIST  
OF LATTER-DAY  
SAINTS

PHYSICAL FACILITIES  
Little Rock AR PM Group  
905 Kierre  
P.O. Box 4394  
North Little Rock, Arkansas 72116

For the Carter file



Ms. Harry McDonald  
Box 487  
Escatawpa, Ms. 39552



Mr. Ben F. Strickland  
Star Route, Box 568  
Monahans, Tex. 79756

1002 Bay Oaks Rd.  
Houston, Tex. 77008  
May 2. 5, 1977 Carter 3-88

Dear Mr. Strickland;

Great!!!

you have made this a great day  
for me. I would love to have  
the record of Noah Strickland  
and Mary Carter's marriage.

I have some personal papers  
of Noah S. Strickland. He usually  
wrote his name Noah. Mary was  
Mary Elizabeth Carter called Polly  
or Mollie by different members  
of the family. She was a  
"mid-wife" by trade.

Mr. Cinworth has his people  
mixed in dates; but there is still  
information to be used in further  
research.

I am sending you some copies  
of material I have. Which will

help. William Carter's Will is Jackson Co.<sup>2</sup>  
Ga. in 1799. Naming four children -  
His last list in 1812. St. James <sup>Carter 3-89</sup>  
shows 5 children. I believe Noah's  
wife, Mary, was born after the  
will of 1799.

I am sending the marriage of Redmond  
Carter to Patience Pace which clears up  
the (Patience Roberts) unless she separated and  
married a Roberts. He later married  
Nancy Kemp whose father was Bradford  
Kemp. You will see Bradford Kemp  
signed Redmond's first marriage.  
I don't know when Redmond Carter  
and Nancy Kemp married. Redmond  
Carter and Vardaman show up in  
Saline Parish La. together with Noah  
Strickland before 1850. Redmond owned  
for tapers in Saline Parish for the  
year 1839. - (Records from Many, La.)

I have a lot more of the Noah  
Strickland family; but it is not all  
organized. You may have it, too,  
if it will help you.  
• There is probably a newspaper  
record of Henry Strickland at Huntsville.

The Stricklands were very devout 3  
Christians. There should be a church  
record of him there. He must have  
had children in 1885 on the <sup>Carter 3-90</sup> ~~boundary~~.  
Some of those early school records  
show Parents living in the family.

Do you have Jacob Strickland's  
Will from Nash co. N.C.? He has  
a son, Henry, I would have sent  
a copy of mine; but it wouldn't  
copy.

I'll try to get the book about the  
Simmons Family. It will clear up  
William Jr's marriage.

I'll also write for a copy of  
Noah Strickland's will in Nash co.  
If this Noah is a Sr. with 12 sons  
he may fit a family story my  
mother told me. One Noah Strickland  
had 12 sons and Bolen was one.

I have muddled over Thomas Carter  
or Isaac Carter as a possible father  
for William Carter Sr. There was also  
a Kousha Carter close by that  
signed some papers. These men  
seem to be out of line in age.

In my search in Fla, I  
found several Stricklands in the



Indexed Census record of 1830 4  
and 1840.

I've been trying to find where  
Noah and Redmund Carter joined  
the masonic Lodge. The masonic  
Lodge is also trying to find out if  
David Strickland of the American  
Revolution who died in Texas was  
a mason.

I suppose you know about  
the "Blake Collection" at  
Stephen F Austin U. at Nacogdoches.

There are many Henry  
Stricklands. I hope one of  
them in these papers is yours.  
Searching with renewed  
Interest  
Mrs. Lily Carter Thurman

son of Jacob or Henry  
bro. of Jacob.

Since you have the  
date of death of your father,  
it's possible to look in  
the old newspapers for  
Huntsville which are at  
the Texas Historical Society  
Library at Austin, Tex.  
Some of the material is  
on film. If your grandfather  
was in Texas in 1880, he  
should be on the  
Soundex film of School  
Census. If your father  
attended school around  
Huntsville, there would  
be a school record in  
the County Superintendents  
Office. I hope this  
will help.

June 9, 1977  
Dear Ben,

I have a cousin that  
does research at the  
Morrison library in  
Utah. We are working  
together. She and I  
together came up with  
all this. She thinks  
Henry's father is probably  
Jacob Strickland. Henry  
was Noah's father  
in Nash Co. N.C.  
Henry, Jacob, Isaac,  
and Solomon were  
brothers. So it seems  
that your grandfather  
would be either Henry

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I have written to 4  
the National Union  
Catalogue, Library of  
Congress, Washington  
D.C. 20540 for the  
nearest library where  
I can find or borrow  
the book on the Dimmont  
family. It is not at  
Clayton here.

Happy hunting,

Lily Carter Thurman  
1002 Bay Oaks Rd.  
Houston, Tex. 77008

In the Louisiana 3  
1830 census (976.3 X2P)  
there is a Cade D. Strickland  
in note, Parish # 085

In the 1870 census for  
La. (976.3 42P) there is  
There is a Widow Strickland  
St. Hd. (~~It doesn't give which~~  
~~St. Parish~~) #77. If it  
means St. Tammany,  
Mrs. Neff is the County  
Clerk and she is very  
helpful she may also be  
able to help with St. Helena.

If you don't need  
this Strickland material,  
you can send it back and  
I will pay the postage.

Where can I find the  
marriage of Mary and  
Noah Strickland?

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1002 Bay Oaks Rd.  
Houston, Tex. 77058

June 19, 1977

Mr. Ben F. Strickland & Wife,

So sorry about the hail storm. I had the same problem last year except it was a storm. I got a new roof and outside painting. Now I have the inside to do.

Please forgive the rapid letters; but when you are 70 and a retired teacher you know you must work fast. My thoughts dwindle if I don't develop them at once.

bt Noah S. Strickland  
is the way Noah signed his name on a note for \$24.00 he borrowed. I have

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this note. He also signed  
his grocery bill the same  
way. I have some  
other papers signed  
just plain Noah  
Strickland. So?

1850 Census Sabine Parish La.  
Noah (S.) Strickland  
b. ca. 1808 NC  
Mary (Polly) Carter Strickland  
b. ca 1808 Ga.

according to this Census  
and taking the births they  
were in Miss. from 1826  
to 1838 and La. 1839-1850

1860 Census Sabine Co. Tex.

Their sons David  
and Redmon drop out;  
but all other family

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members remain the same. Children's ages remain the same, but parents' ages change

Noah Strickland

b. ca. 1801 N.C.

Mary (Polly) Carter Strickland

b. ca 1803 Ga.

I believe these ages are nearer correct.

Mary was a Mid-Wife.  
I have papers - She must have registered in Miss. or La. (There may be records)

? If Noah S. Strickland was (Noah Solomon) whose son would he have been?  
How would the ages fit?



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Here is a clue for you  
Perry Co. Miss  
1850 Census # 34

Samuel Strickland 20 M. b. Miss, <sup>ca.</sup> 1818  
Matilda " 18 F. b. La.

No 35

Solomon Strickland 30 M. b. Miss <sup>ca.</sup> 1820

Lucretia " 28 F. b. "

Elizabeth Ward 60 F. b. " <sup>ca.</sup> 1790

Harry Stinson 8 M. b. "

(Lucretia probably was Stinson's widow)  
could Solomon had Henry & died and  
Harry and Henry gone and lived with  
Harry's grand parents?

My mother told me this -  
she was repeating what she  
had heard - Noah

Strickland had 12 sons

1. Wilson
2. Bolin
3. Matthew
4. Redman
5. Noah - m. Mary Carter
- etc -

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The name Kinchen

There was a Kinchen  
Carter that signed a paper  
with William Carter in Ga.

Could the Mary Carter  
have been William Carter's  
wife? (mentioned in 2nd will)

The Mr. Ainsworth  
you gave me in your first  
letter wrote me that  
William Carter m. Mollie  
Strickland (Mollie or Mary  
the same) He said  
also that his <sup>949</sup>mother  
was Elizabeth Carter who  
married Green Fern and  
the daughter of William Carter  
you have helped me find  
William Carter's family. Thanks!

I am tracing the  
James Mason family  
of Sess. Rev. to the  
Carolinas as well as

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Merritts and Ander Howard.  
Its nice you two can  
work together.

I'll check on Noad in  
Rankin Co. Miss. in 1830  
when I go back to the  
library.

Henry Strickland's parents  
may have died with yellow  
fever about the time of  
the Mexican or Spanish  
Am. War invasion of  
Texas. Or, - What kind  
of Law records are kept  
in the State Capitol?  
Aren't some Court records  
kept there?

I haven't looked in  
many La. yet. But I have  
written. They only send  
what you have exact  
data on from 1843 - Natchitoches  
has records from 1790 which



is where the early records  
will be. I don't think  
any of these records have  
turned.

Do you use the  
"Handy Book for Genealogists"  
by George B. Everton?  
I have the 6th Edition.

It will be grand if  
you find the Masonic  
record of William, Redmond<sup>b. 1794</sup>  
and Bradford Carter (1832)  
also Noah S. Strickland,  
Andrew Jackson Houark,<sup>b. 1818 Fla.</sup>  
Bradford Kemp and  
William Pace, Bradford  
Kemp signed Redmond  
and Patience Pace's marriage  
His daughter Nancy married  
Redmond Carter, she was  
born in N.C.

I must stop

Lily Thurman

Carter 3-101

10022 Bay Oaks Rd.  
Houston, Tex. 77055

July 1, 1977

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Strickland,

Here I am again.  
You have a lot of years  
left for genealogy; but  
me I'm seventy this  
July '10. I don't feel it.  
But when I don't use  
"Love and Care" I look it.

I am a retired reading  
analyst from Houston schools.  
I have one daughter and  
six grandchildren who  
live with me.

Thanks for all the  
notes. I'll try to fit  
them in my big puzzle.

I've tried to trace the  
Carters through Isaac  
Carter born 1756 and  
listed in the Miss. DARs;

But I have decided he is not William Carter (of Jackson Co. Ga. father). I'll send for some of the wills you mention.

When I read the Blake Collection of East Texas, I'll look for the Van Dicks. There were some Dutch settlements below many on the La. side of the Sabine, one named Hippler married my uncle Enoch Carter son of Bradford Carter.

Have you read "Two Centuries in East Texas" from 1685 - by George Louis Crockett? He gives some early settlers around Nacogdoches -

My relatives around Nacogdoches and East Texas were James Mason, William Mason, and John Mason



who were brothers from South Carolina. They stopped in Ala. and Miss. on their way to Texas in 1830. This also happened to my mother's dad's people - who were Merritts from S.C. who stopped in Miss. and Ala. on their way to La. and Tex. The Van Sickle's should have a land title from the Texas land office at Austin.

In the Noah Strickland will he gives his son Noah. This will was in 1809. My Noah gave his age as 1801 and 1808. But either way he could still be the son in the will.

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I will be happy to pay for all of Hugh B. Johnston's material if you have the time to xerox it. I have a lot more Strickland material which I might be able to correct or prove by it.

It is possible that William Carter's wife, Mary, could have married again if I have the correct succession of William from Covington Co. It states that he died in 1814 after borrowing money and going to New Orleans where I think he died at the Battle of New Orleans where Redbank was.

I was interested in the Wards as one of my great auncles married

Nancy Royie Ward (Merritt)  
wife of George Merritt.

The Redmond Carter of  
1860 - Jones Co. Miss. is  
probably the son of  
Redmond Corn in ~~the~~ Ga.

His children were:

1. William - Eliza Jane Moore
- \* 2. D. Redmond -
3. Elizabeth - William Maines
4. Hattie - Mims
5. Bradford - <sup>5 wives</sup> Elizabeth M. Mason
6. James - my dad said that  
this one died in  
Civil War.

I have notes on Noah I.  
Strickland (In Rankins army).  
But I have not looked at the  
Consueo film to see about  
the I. Noah would have  
been about 22+. The child's  
age would fit. (Nancy 4)



Excuse scribble, but as I  
was looking through my  
notes I see in  
1840 Census - Texas  
San Augustine Co.  
David Strickland  
Samuel Strickland  
Isaac                   "  
?   H.                   "

San Augustine, Tex. Public Library  
is making a collection of  
Family Trees. They had the  
big blank form put in the  
County paper. I sent mine  
to them. They might possibly  
have something on H. H. Strickland

# Your Neighbor

## Carter 3-10<sup>th</sup> Dorothy Carter

By BOBBIE THIBODEAUX

Special to The Pascagoula Press

PASCAGOULA — As staff assistant in Sen. Trent Lott's Pascagoula office, Dorothy Carter deals with "tons and tons of casework. We work with Social Security, the VA, the INS, the IRS, human resources — anything you can think of."

She assists Dee Phillips in the office. "I help in any way I can. You never

know from day to day what will happen. It's a busy office. I was amazed at what people come to the senator's office for. He does everything he can possibly do. We work closely with the Washington office. Our main state office is in Jackson."



Carter

Carter and her husband, Ray, now deceased, stayed on

the road for years doing catastrophe claims. "I didn't come back here to live full time until his death. Dee is a good friend, and she called me about coming here to work. It was a lifesaver. I've been here ever since."

Although her favorite thing to do outside of work is spend time with family and close friends, she likes to play bridge and golf. "I'm not good at either of them, but I enjoy both. I'm just getting back to golf after being off for a while."

She substitutes for several bridge groups, playing several times a week but hasn't joined one. "I want nothing on a have-to basis."

Another thing she enjoys is working in her yard. "Sometimes I like to cook, if I'm cooking for family or having friends in. I take it by sprees."

After living away for a while, her children have all moved back into the area. They are Donna Stratton, Kell Carter, and Scot Carter, all of Pascagoula, and Carla Daget, Moss Point. She has six grandchildren.

"I'm fortunate to have them close by. I spend a lot of time with my children and grandchildren."

March 12, 2003

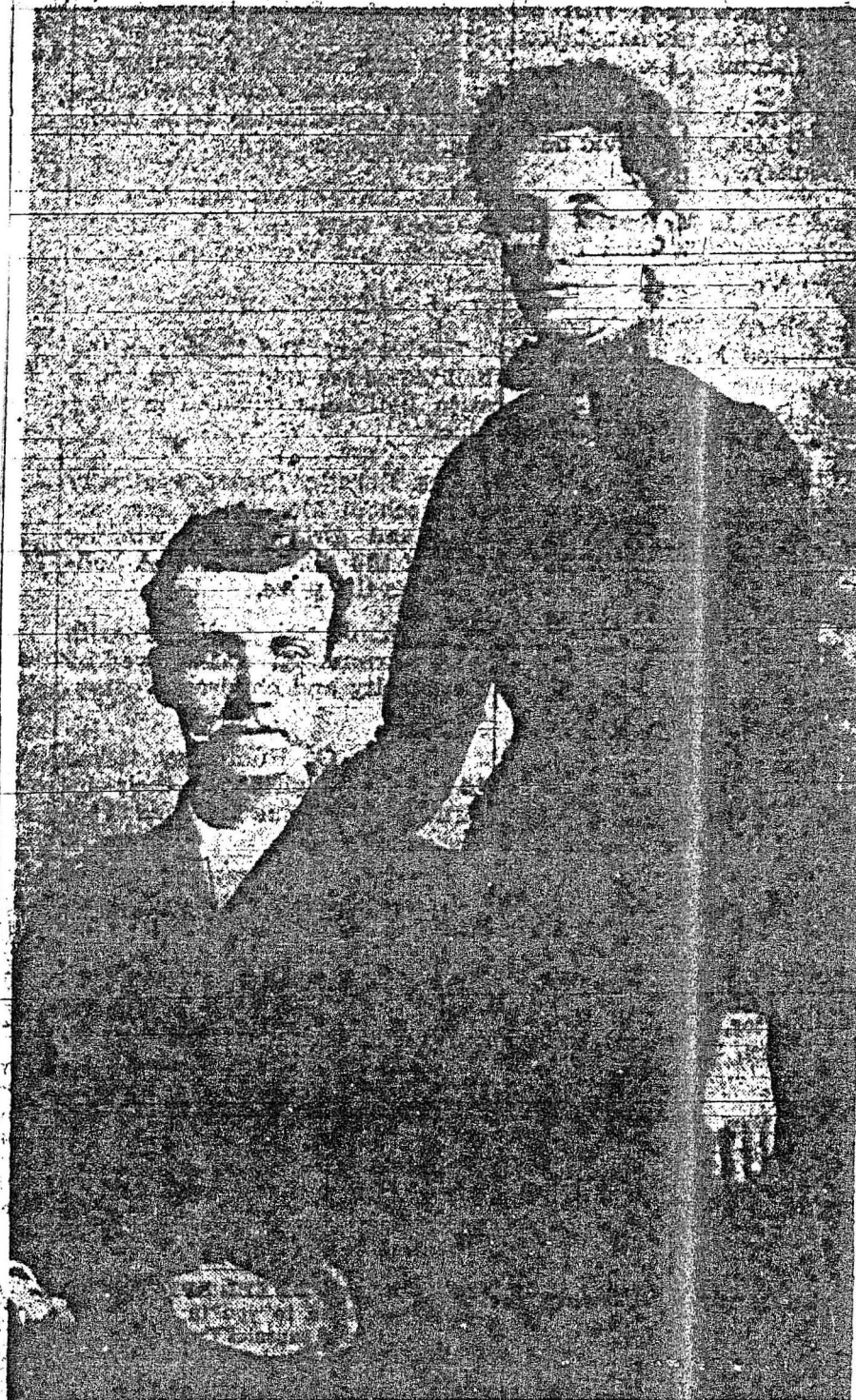
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## Album Of Yesteryear



MR. AND MRS. GEORGE N. CARTER, THE PARENTS OF MRS. J. E. Adams, 1713 Main, Moss Point, are shown above in a wedding portrait made Nov. 6, 1889 at Escatawpa. Mrs. Carter died in 1918, but Mr. Carter is living with his daughter.